



Crofting (Amendment) (Scotland) Act 2013

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3 Retrospective effect and application

- (1) The provisions mentioned in subsection (2) are to be treated for all purposes as having had effect during the period from 1 October 2011 until the coming into force of this Act.
- (2) Those provisions are—
 - (a) the provisions of the 1993 Act inserted by section 1 (other than section 24D(3)), as modified by subsection (3), and
 - (b) the modifications of that Act made by the schedule.
- (3) The modifications referred to in subsection (2)(a) are that—
 - (a) in section 24B, subsection (3) is omitted,
 - (b) in section 24C(4)(d), “(4ZC) and” is substituted for “(4ZA) to”.
- (4) Accordingly—
 - (a) an application of a kind mentioned in subsection (5) is to be treated as having been made under section 24A(1) of the 1993 Act (as inserted by section 1),
 - (b) a decision of a kind mentioned in subsection (6), and a direction of a kind mentioned in that subsection, is to be treated as having been made or, as the case may be, given under section 24B(1) of that Act (as so inserted).
- (5) The application referred to in subsection (4)(a) is one purported to have been made—
 - (a) by an owner-occupier crofter under section 24(3) of the 1993 Act,
 - (b) during the period from 1 October 2011 until the coming into force of this Act.
- (6) The decision referred to in subsection (4)(b), and the direction referred to in that paragraph, is one purported to have been made or, as the case may be, given—
 - (a) by the Commission under section 24(3) of the 1993 Act,
 - (b) on an application of a kind mentioned in subsection (5),
 - (c) before the coming into force of this Act.
- (7) In this section, the “Commission” and “owner-occupier crofter” have the meanings given by the 1993 Act.