

# Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018

#### PART 2

#### GIVING OF ASSISTANCE BY SCOTTISH MINISTERS

# **CHAPTER 3**

#### **DETERMINING ENTITLEMENT**

Re-determination by the Scottish Ministers

# 43 Duty to re-determine

- (1) On being requested under section 41 to re-determine an individual's entitlement to a particular type of assistance, the Scottish Ministers are to make a determination of the individual's entitlement to that type of assistance.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers must aim to make the determination within the period allowed for re-determination.
- (3) If the Scottish Ministers fail to make the determination within the period allowed for re-determination—
  - (a) their duty to make the determination ends (but they may still make it), and
  - (b) section 45 applies.
- (4) If the Scottish Ministers make the determination (whether or not within the period allowed for re-determination), section 44 applies.
- (5) The period allowed for re-determination is to be prescribed by the Scottish Ministers in regulations.
- (6) The reference in subsection (1) to a request under section 41 is to a request that is valid according to subsection (2) of that section.

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# **Commencement Information**

I1 S. 43 in force at 22.10.2018 by S.S.I. 2018/298, **reg. 2(1)(g)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (10.12.2019) by S.S.I. 2019/406, regs. 1, **2(2)**)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 81(4C) inserted by 2021 asp 20 s. 2(a)
- s. 85D inserted by 2020 asp 18 s. 2(6)