



# Public Health Act 1936

1936 CHAPTER 49 26 Geo 5 and 1 Edw 8

## PART II

### SANITATION AND BUILDINGS

*Removal of refuse, scavenging, keeping of animals, &c.*

#### **78 Scavenging of common courts and passages.**

- (1) If any court, yard or passage which is used in common by the occupants of two or more buildings, but is not a highway repairable by the inhabitants at large, is not regularly swept and kept clean and free from rubbish or other accumulation to the satisfaction of the local authority, the authority may cause it to be swept and cleansed.
- (2) The local authority may recover any expenses reasonably incurred by them under this section from the occupiers of the buildings which front or abut on the court or yard, or to which the passage affords access, in such proportions as may be determined by the authority, or, in case of dispute, by a court of summary jurisdiction.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Public Health Act 1936, Section 78.