



Married Women (Restraint upon Anticipation) Act 1949

1949 CHAPTER 78 12 13 and 14 Geo 6

An Act to render inoperative any restriction upon anticipation or alienation attached to the enjoyment of property by a woman. [16th December 1949]

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 Words of enactment omitted under authority of [Statute Law Revision Act 1948 \(c. 62\), s. 3](#)

1 Abolition of restraint upon anticipation, and consequential amendments and repeals.

- (1) No restriction upon anticipation or alienation attached, or purported to be attached, to the enjoyment of any property by a woman which could not have been attached to the enjoyment of that property by a man shall be of any effect after the passing of this Act.
- (2) The preceding subsection shall have effect whatever is the date of the passing, execution or coming into operation of the Act or instrument containing the provision by virtue of which the restriction was attached or purported to be attached, . . . ^{F1}
- (3) ^{F2}
- (4) ^{F3}

Textual Amendments

- F1 Words repealed by [Statute Law \(Repeals\) Act 1975 \(c. 10\), s. 1\(1\), Sch. Pt. VI](#)
F2 [S. 1\(3\)](#) repealed by [Statute Law \(Repeals\) Act 1969 \(c. 52\), Sch. Pt. III](#)
F3 [S. 1\(4\)](#) repealed by [Statute Law Revision Act 1953 \(2 & 3 Eliz. 2 c. 5\)](#)

2 Short title and extent.

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Married Women (Restraint upon Anticipation) Act, 1949.

Changes to legislation: *There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Married Women (Restraint upon Anticipation) Act 1949. (See end of Document for details)*

(2) This Act shall not extend to Scotland or to Northern Ireland.

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Textual Amendments

F4 Sch. 1 repealed by Statute Law (Repeals) Act 1969 (c. 52), Sch. Pt. III

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^{F5}F5 SCHEDULE 2

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Textual Amendments

F5 Sch. 2 repealed by Statute Law Revision Act 1953 (2 & 3 Eliz. 2 c. 5)

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Changes to legislation:

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