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The Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008 (Scottish Land Court) Order 2017

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008 (Scottish Land Court) Order 2017 and comes into force on 1st April 2017.

Specified court

2. The Scottish Land Court(1) is specified for the purposes of section 2(6)(h) of the Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008 (meaning of "the Scottish courts").

Specified judicial offices

3. The offices of member of the Scottish Land Court and Deputy Chairman of the Scottish Land Court are specified for the purposes of section 43(2)(j) of the Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008 (meaning of "judicial office holder").

Amendment of the Scottish Land Court Act 1993

- **4.**—(1) Schedule 1 of the Scottish Land Court Act 1993(2) is amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph 7, for "Secretary of State" substitute "SCTS".
- (3) Paragraph 8 is repealed.
- (4) In paragraph 18—
 - (a) sub-paragraph (1) is repealed;
 - (b) in sub-paragraph (2), after head (b) insert—
 - "(c) the principal clerk of the Land Court"; and
 - (c) in sub-paragraph (5), for "Scottish Ministers" substitute "SCTS".

Transfer of staff

5. The schedule has effect.

⁽¹⁾ The Scottish Land Court was established by section 3 of the Small Landholders (Scotland) Act 1911 (c.49), then re-established by section 1 and schedule 1 of the Scottish Land Court Act 1993 (c.45).

^{(2) 1993} c.45; paragraph 18 of schedule 1 was substituted by section 126(3) of the Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 (asp 18).

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