
DRAFT SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2019 No.

The Funeral Expense Assistance (Scotland) Regulations 2019

PART 4

Eligibility

Estate of deceased person

11.—(1) A person is not entitled to funeral expense assistance if assets of the deceased person are available and sufficient to meet the costs of a funeral.

(2) No regard is to be had to the assets of a deceased person for the purpose of paragraph (1) if that person was under the age of 18 on the day of his or her death.

(3) For the purpose of paragraph (1) any lump sums due to the applicant or others by virtue of any insurance policy, occupational pension scheme, burial club, or similar scheme are to be considered an asset of the deceased person.