24  Marriage not to affect property rights or legal capacity.

(1) Subject to the provisions of any enactment (including this Act), marriage [F1or civil partnership] shall not of itself affect—

(a) the respective rights of the parties to the marriage[F2, or as the case may be the partners in the civil partnership,] in relation to their property;

(b) the legal capacity of [F3those parties or partners].

(2) Nothing in subsection (1) above affects the law of succession.

Annotations:

Amendments (Textual)

F1 Words in s. 24(1) inserted (5.12.2005) by virtue of Civil Partnership Act 2004 (c. 33), s. 263(10)(c), Sch. 28 para. 27(a); S.S.I. 2005/604, arts. 2(c), 4

F2 Words in s. 24(1)(a) inserted (5.12.2005) by Civil Partnership Act 2004 (c. 33), s. 263(10)(c), Sch. 28 para. 27(b); S.S.I. 2005/604, arts. 2(c), 4

F3 Words in s. 24(1)(b) substituted (5.12.2005) by Civil Partnership Act 2004 (c. 33), s. 263(10)(c), Sch. 28 para. 27(c); S.S.I. 2005/604, arts. 2(c), 4
Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Family Law (Scotland) Act 1985, Section 24.