



# Scotland Act 1998

## 1998 CHAPTER 46

### PART V

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

##### *Remuneration of members of the Parliament and [F<sup>1</sup>Government]*

#### **81 Remuneration of members of the Parliament and [F<sup>1</sup>Government].**

- (1) The Parliament shall make provision for the payment of salaries to members of the Parliament and members of the [F<sup>2</sup>Scottish Government].
- (2) The Parliament may make provision for the payment of allowances to members of the Parliament or members of the [F<sup>2</sup>Scottish Government].
- (3) The Parliament may make provision for the payment of pensions, gratuities or allowances to, or in respect of, any person who—
  - (a) has ceased to be a member of the Parliament or the [F<sup>2</sup>Scottish Government],  
or
  - (b) has ceased to hold such office, employment or other post in connection with the Parliament or the [F<sup>2</sup>Scottish Government] as the Parliament may determine but continues to be a member of the Parliament or the [F<sup>2</sup>Scottish Government].
- (4) Such provision may, in particular, include provision for—
  - (a) contributions or payments towards provision for such pensions, gratuities or allowances,
  - (b) the establishment and administration (whether by the Parliamentary corporation or otherwise) of one or more pension schemes.
- (5) In this section “provision” includes provision—
  - (a) by an Act of the Scottish Parliament, or
  - (b) by a resolution of the Parliament conferring functions on the Parliamentary corporation;

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*Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Scotland Act 1998, Section 81. (See end of Document for details)*

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and references to a member of the [<sup>F2</sup>Scottish Government] include a junior Scottish Minister.

**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Word in s. 81 heading substituted (3.7.2012) by [Scotland Act 2012 \(c. 11\)](#), **ss. 12(2)(b)**, 44(5) (with s. 12(3)); [S.I. 2012/1710](#), **art. 2(f)**
- F2** Words in Act substituted (3.7.2012) by [Scotland Act 2012 \(c. 11\)](#), **ss. 12(2)(a)**, 44(5) (with s. 12(3)); [S.I. 2012/1710](#), **art. 2(f)**

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** S. 81(3) extended (6.5.1999) by [S.I. 1999/1081](#), **art. 8**

**Changes to legislation:**

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