



# **CHAPTER 29**

# WALES ACT 2014

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- 2 (1) Where an Order under section 12(1) causes a referendum...
- 3 Conduct etc of referendum
- 4 Referendum question and statement
- 5 Date of referendum

- 6 Referendum period
- 7 Combination of polls
- 8 Assistance for designated organisations
- 9 Information and encouraging participation
- 10 Referendum material
- 11 Funding and accounts
- 12 An Order under section 12(1) must include provision as to...
- 13 No legal challenge to referendum result
- 14 Supplementary
- 15 Interpretation

SCHEDULE 2 — Welsh tax on land transactions: consequential amendments

- 1 Finance Act 1931
- 2 Finance Act 2003
- 3 (1) Section 48 (power to prescribe other chargeable interests) is...
- 4 After section 48 insert— Interests, transactions and consideration where land...
- 5 In section 60 (compulsory purchase facilitating development), in subsections (2)(a)...
- 6 In section 73(5) (definition of mortgage for land acquired under...
- 7 In section 108(1A) (linked transactions), for "the land to which...
- 8 In section 117(2) (meaning of "major interest" in England or...
- 9 In section 121 (minor definitions), in the definition of "jointly...
- 10 In Schedule 7 (group relief), in paragraph 2B(4) (certain mortgage...
- 11 In Schedule 9 (right to buy, shared ownership leases, etc),...
- 12 In Schedule 10 (returns, enquiries, assessments and appeals), in paragraph...
- 13 Finance Act 2009
- 14 (1) Paragraph 1 is amended as follows.
- 15 In the following provisions omit "and Wales"—
- 16 Scotland Act 2012