



# Administration of Justice Act 1920

## CHAPTER 81

### ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE ACT 1920

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SCHEDULE — Enactments Repealed