



Ecclesiastical Buildings and Glebes (Scotland) Act 1868

1868 CHAPTER 96 31 and 32 Vict

7 Proceedings, for rebuilding of church or manse.

In any proceedings for the rebuilding of a church or manse the sheriff shall, unless the matter has been decided by the presbytery by a judgment or finding final under the third section hereof, *primo loco*, consider whether, in accordance with the law as at present existing, a new edifice should be erected, or whether the existing buildings should be repaired, and for that purpose he may take such evidence and make such remits to architects or other professional persons as he shall think right, and he shall pronounce a finding accordingly: Provided always, that, if the sheriff see cause, he may dismiss the petition.

Changes to legislation:

Ecclesiastical Buildings and Glebes (Scotland) Act 1868, Section 7 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 01 September 2022. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Commencement Orders yet to be applied to the Ecclesiastical Buildings and Glebes (Scotland) Act 1868

Commencement Orders bringing legislation that affects this Act into force:

- [S.S.I. 2003/456 art. 2 commences \(2000 asp 5\)](#)