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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1997 No. 1095 (S.97)**

**BETTING, GAMING AND LOTTERIES**

**The Licensed Betting Offices (Scotland)  
Amendment Regulations 1997**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>25th March 1997</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>26th March 1997</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>19th April 1997</i>

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 10(6) and 55(1) of, and paragraph 3 of Schedule 4 to, the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act 1963(1) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Licensed Betting Offices (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1997 and shall come into force on 19th April 1997.

(2) These Regulations shall extend to Scotland only.

2. Regulation 4(1) of the Licensed Betting Offices (Scotland) Regulations 1986(2) shall be amended as follows—

(a) the words “other than an advertisement published in a material form” shall be inserted after the word “advertisement”; and

(b) in sub-paragraph (b), for the words “(ii) and (iii)” there shall be substituted “and (ii)”.

St Andrew’s House,  
Edinburgh  
25th March 1997

*George Kynoch*  
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State Scottish  
Office

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(1) 1963 c. 2, as amended by S.I.1997/941.  
(2) S.I. 1986/120, as amended by S.I. 1995/802.

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations amend the Licensed Betting Offices (Scotland) Regulations 1986 as a consequence of the making of the Deregulation (Betting and Bingo Advertising etc.) Order 1997. That Order, amongst other things, permits the advertising of licensed betting offices through advertisements in a material form.

These Regulations amend regulation 4 of the 1986 Regulations to make it clear that the restrictions set out in that regulation will not apply to advertisements published in a material form. They also remove a reference in regulation 4 to section 10(6)(b)(iii) of the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act 1963, which is repealed by the said Order.