STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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## The Nuclear Installations (Liability for Damage) Order 2016

## Jurisdiction of courts in the United Kingdom: jurisdiction excluded

**24.**—(1) Section 17 of the 1965 Act (jurisdiction etc) is amended as follows.

(2) In subsection (1)(1) (jurisdiction of courts in the United Kingdom, or in a part of the United Kingdom, excluded by a certificate of the Secretary of State or the Scottish Ministers)—

- (a) omit the words "or any part thereof";
- (b) for "the Minister" substitute "the appropriate authority";
- (c) omit the words "or, as the case may be, of some other part of the United Kingdom";
- (d) omit the words "or, as the case may be, that part thereof".

(3) Omit subsection (2) (certificate as evidence of the jurisdiction of a court in a particular part of the United Kingdom).

(4) After subsection (6) insert—

"(7) In this section "appropriate authority" means-

- (a) in relation to England and Wales and Northern Ireland, the Secretary of State;
- (b) in relation to Scotland, the Scottish Ministers."

<sup>(1)</sup> The function conferred by section 17(1) has been transferred, in so far as it is exercisable in or as regards Scotland, to the Scottish Ministers by S.I. 1999/1750, article 2, Schedule 1.