



# Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016

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### PART 10 **S**

#### AGRICULTURAL HOLDINGS

### CHAPTER 8 **S**

#### COMPENSATION FOR TENANT'S IMPROVEMENTS

##### *Agreements made during amnesty period*

#### 117 **Amnesty agreements** **S**

- (1) Where no compensation is payable for a relevant improvement under section 34 of the 1991 Act or, as the case may be, under section 45 of the 2003 Act because a relevant requirement has not been met, the landlord and tenant may nonetheless enter into an agreement in writing during the amnesty period (an “amnesty agreement”) that the landlord will compensate the tenant for the improvement on the tenant quitting the holding at the termination of the tenancy.
- (2) Section 53 of the 1991 Act and section 59 of the 2003 Act do not apply where an amnesty agreement has been entered into.
- (3) The amount of compensation payable under an amnesty agreement must be as set out in section 36 of the 1991 Act or, as the case may be, in section 47 of the 2003 Act.
- (4) In subsection (1) a “relevant requirement” is a requirement, imposed by virtue of Part 4 of the 1991 Act or by virtue of Chapter 1 of Part 4 of the 2003 Act, compliance with which would entitle a tenant to compensation under section 34 of the 1991 Act or, as the case may be, under section 45 of the 2003 Act.

#### **Commencement Information**

**II** [S. 117](#) in force at 13.6.2017 by [S.S.I. 2017/20](#), reg. 2, [sch.](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016, Cross Heading: Agreements made during amnesty period is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 25 April 2024. 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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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.S.I. 2017/299, regs. 5-14, by [S.S.I. 2017/370 reg. 34](#)