

# Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 2016 asp 18

#### PART 2

THE SCOTTISH LAND COMMISSION

#### **CHAPTER 1**

THE COMMISSION

## Membership

## 13 Resignation and removal

- (1) A member of the Commission may resign at any time by giving notice in writing to the Scottish Ministers.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers may by giving notice in writing revoke the appointment of a person as a member if satisfied that the person—
  - (a) is insolvent,
  - (b) has been convicted of a criminal offence in relation to which the member has been sentenced to imprisonment for a period of 3 months or more,
  - (c) is incapacitated by physical illness or mental disorder,
  - (d) has been absent from meetings of the Commission for a period exceeding 6 months without the permission of the Commission, or
  - (e) is otherwise unable or unfit to exercise any of the functions of a member or is unsuitable to continue as a member.
- (3) For the purposes of subsection (2)(a) a person becomes insolvent when—
  - (a) the person's estate is sequestrated,
  - (b) the person grants a trust deed for creditors or makes a composition or arrangement with creditors,
  - (c) a voluntary arrangement proposed by the person is approved,
  - (d) the person's application for a debt payment programme is approved under section 2 of the Debt Arrangement and Attachment (Scotland) Act 2002, or

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(e) the person becomes subject to any other kind of order or arrangement analogous to those described in paragraphs (a) to (d) anywhere in the world.

## **Commencement Information**

I1 S. 13 in force at 1.11.2016 by S.S.I. 2016/250, reg. 2(1)(2), sch. 1 (with reg. 3)

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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