



# Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016

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### PART 2

#### THE SCOTTISH LAND COMMISSION

### CHAPTER 3

#### THE TENANT FARMING COMMISSIONER

##### *Tenant Farming Commissioner: inquiry function*

#### **31 Enforcement powers**

- (1) The Tenant Farming Commissioner may at any time during an inquiry into a breach of a code of practice require any person to provide such information as the Commissioner considers appropriate for the purposes of the inquiry.
- (2) The Tenant Farming Commissioner may by serving notice in writing impose a monetary penalty (a “non-compliance penalty”) on a person for failing to comply with a requirement under—
  - (a) section 30(4)(c),
  - (b) subsection (1).
- (3) The amount of a non-compliance penalty is to be determined by the Tenant Farming Commissioner, but must not exceed £1000.
- (4) A non-compliance penalty must be paid to the Commission.
- (5) The Commission may recover any non-compliance penalty as a civil debt.

#### **Commencement Information**

**II** S. 31 in force at 1.4.2017 by S.S.I. 2016/250, reg. 2(3), sch. 2

**Changes to legislation:**

Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016, Section 31 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 25 May 2023. 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](#)