



# Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016

## 2016 asp 18

### PART 8

#### DEER MANAGEMENT

#### 78 Functions of deer panels

In section 4 of the Deer (Scotland) Act 1996 (appointment of panels), after subsection (6) insert—

“(7) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make provision conferring further functions on panels.

(8) Functions conferred under subsection (7) may include—

- (a) encouraging and facilitating the engagement of the local community in deer management in the locality of a panel,
- (b) looking into issues relating to deer management in the locality of a panel and communicating those issues to the local community,
- (c) communicating the views of the local community to those engaged in deer management in the locality of a panel.

(9) Regulations under subsection (7) may modify any enactment (including this Act).”.

#### Commencement Information

**II** S. 78 in force at 28.6.2016 by [S.S.I. 2016/193](#), reg. 2(1), [Sch.](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016, Section 78 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 26 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](#)