



Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018

2018 asp 9

PART 1

TENETS AND OVERSIGHT

Promotion of take-up

8 Strategy to promote take-up

- (1) The Scottish Ministers are to prepare a strategy to promote take-up in accordance with this section and section 9.
- (2) A strategy to promote take-up is to set out—
 - (a) the Scottish Ministers' best estimate of the extent to which, at the time the strategy is prepared, all individuals who are eligible to be given assistance through the Scottish social security system are being given the assistance they are eligible to be given,
 - (b) the steps under section 3(b) that the Ministers intend to take during the strategy's lifetime.
- (3) Having prepared a strategy to promote take-up, the Scottish Ministers must—
 - (a) lay it before the Scottish Parliament, and
 - (b) make it publicly available by such means as they consider appropriate.

Commencement Information

- II** S. 8 in force at 22.10.2018 by [S.S.I. 2018/298](#), [reg. 2\(1\)\(b\)](#) (with [reg. 3](#)) (as amended (10.12.2019) by [S.S.I. 2019/406](#), [regs. 1, 2\(2\)](#))

Changes to legislation:

Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018, Section 8 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 19 January 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 the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 81(4C) inserted by [2021 asp 20 s. 2\(a\)](#)
- s. 85D inserted by [2020 asp 18 s. 2\(6\)](#)