



Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Act 2021

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PART 2

MALICIOUS PUBLICATION

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- (1) Any rules of law providing for a right to bring proceedings for a verbal injury cease to have effect.
- (2) Subsection (1) does not affect any right to bring proceedings for a verbal injury which accrued before the commencement of that subsection.

Commencement Information

II [S. 27](#) in force at 8.8.2022 by [S.S.I. 2022/154](#), [regs. 1\(2\), 2](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Act 2021, Section 27.