



# Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Act 2021

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## PART 3

### GENERAL

#### *Remedies*

#### **28 Power of court to order a summary of its judgment to be published**

- (1) A court may, in finding for the pursuer in defamation proceedings or proceedings under Part 2, order the defender to publish a summary of the judgment.
- (2) It is for the parties to agree—
  - (a) the wording of the summary, and
  - (b) the time, manner, form and place of its publication.
- (3) But if the parties cannot agree—
  - (a) the wording of the summary, the court must determine it,
  - (b) a matter in subsection (2) (b), the court may give such directions as it considers appropriate.

#### **Commencement Information**

**II** [S. 28](#) 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 28.