



# Married Women's Policies of Assurance (Scotland) Act 1880

1880 CHAPTER 26 43 and 44 Vict

**1 Married woman may effect policy of assurance for her separate use.**

A married woman may effect a policy of assurance, on her own life or on the life of her husband, for her separate use; and the same and all benefit thereof, if expressed to be for her separate use, shall, immediately on being so effected, vest in her, and shall be payable to her, and her heirs, executors, and assignees, excluding the jus mariti and right of administration of her husband, and shall be assignable by her either inter vivos or mortis causa without consent of her husband; and the contract in such policy shall be as valid and effectual as if made with an unmarried woman.

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/02/1991.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Married Women's Policies of Assurance (Scotland) Act 1880, Section 1.