



# Witnesses (Public Inquiries) Protection Act 1892

## CHAPTER 64

### WITNESSES (PUBLIC INQUIRIES) PROTECTION ACT 1892

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**Changes to legislation:**

Witnesses (Public Inquiries) Protection Act 1892 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 07 May 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 :**

- s. 2 words substituted by [2003 c. 44 Sch. 26 para. 4](#)