
DRAFT SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2022 No.

**The Social Security (Residence Requirements)
(Ukraine) (Scotland) Regulations 2022**

**Amendment of the Council Tax Reduction (State Pension Credit) (Scotland) Regulations
2012**

10.—(1) Regulation 16 of the Council Tax Reduction (State Pension Credit) (Scotland) Regulations 2012 (persons not entitled to council tax reduction: persons treated as not being in Great Britain)⁽¹⁾ is amended as follows.

(2) In paragraph (5)—

- (a) in sub-paragraph (e), omit the words from “where that leave is” to the end of that sub-paragraph,
- (b) at the end of sub-paragraph (h), omit “or”,
- (c) in sub-paragraph (k) for “(e)(iv)” substitute “(e)”,
- (d) after sub-paragraph (k) insert—

“or

- (l) a person in Great Britain who was residing in Ukraine immediately before 1 January 2022, left Ukraine in connection with the Russian invasion which took place on 24 February 2022 and—
 - (i) has been granted leave in accordance with the rules referred to in sub-paragraph (e), or
 - (ii) has a right of abode in the United Kingdom, within the meaning of section 2 of the Immigration Act 1971⁽²⁾

⁽¹⁾ S.S.I. 2012/319, relevantly amended by S.S.I. 2015/46 and S.S.I. 2021/337.

⁽²⁾ 1971 c. 77. Section 2 was amended by section 39(2) of the British Nationality Act 1981 (c. 61) and S.I. 2019/745.