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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2020 No. 426**

**The Scottish Parliament (Elections etc.)  
(Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2020**

**Amendment of schedule 8 of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000**

**21.** After paragraph 2(2) of schedule 8 of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000 (campaign expenditure: qualifying expenses)(**1**) insert—

“(3) In relation to polls at elections for membership of the Scottish Parliament, nothing in paragraph 1 is to be taken as extending to—

- (a) reasonable expenses incurred that are reasonably attributable to individuals’ disability,
- (b) reasonable expenses incurred in providing for the protection of persons of property at rallies or other public events, or
- (c) reasonable expenses incurred that are reasonably attributable to the translation of anything into languages other than English.

(4) In sub-paragraph (3)(a), “disability” has the same meaning as in the Equality Act 2010(**2**) (see section 6 of that Act).”.

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(1) 2000 c.41 (“the 2000 Political Parties Act”). Paragraph 2(2) of schedule 8 was added by S.I. 2004/366.  
(2) 2010 c.15.