



Administration of Justice Act 1970

1970 CHAPTER 31

PART VI

GENERAL

54 Citation, interpretation, repeals, commencement and extent.

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Administration of Justice Act 1970.
- (2) References in this Act to any enactment include references to that enactment as amended or extended by or under any other enactment, including this Act.
- (3) The enactments specified in Schedule 11 to this Act are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the third column of that Schedule.
- (4) ^{F1}
- (5) Except insofar as it amends, or authorises the amendment of, any enactment which extends to Scotland, this Act shall not extend to Scotland.
- (6) This section (except subsection (3)) and the following provisions only of this Act extend to Northern Ireland, that is to say—
 - (a) sections 1(6) ... ^{F2} and Schedules 2 ... ^{F2}, so far as they relate to any enactment which extends to Northern Ireland ^{F3} ... ;
 - (b) Part III; and
 - (c) sections 36, [^{F4}38A], 39 ^{F3} ... ^{F5} ...

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Textual Amendments

F1 S. 54(4) repealed (22.7.2004) by Statute Law (Repeals) Act 2004 (c. 14), s. 1(1), {Sch. 1 Pt. 1 Group 4}

F2 Words repealed by Attachment of Earnings Act 1971 (c. 32), Sch. 6

F3 Words in s. 54(6) repealed (22.7.2004) by Statute Law (Repeals) Act 2004 (c. 14), s. 1(1), {Sch. 1 Pt. 1 Group 4}

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Administration of Justice Act 1970, Section 54. (See end of Document for details)

- F4** Words inserted by [Consumer Credit Act 1974 \(c. 39\)](#), s. 192(4), **Sch. 4 Pt. I para. 31**
F5 Words repealed by [Northern Ireland Constitution Act 1973 \(c. 36\)](#), s. 42, **Sch. 6 Pt. I**
F6 Words repealed by [Administration of Estates Act 1971 \(c. 25\)](#), s. 12(3), **Sch. 2 Pt. I**

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** The text of ss. 10(5), 41(7), 48, 51(2), 54(3) are in the form in which they were originally enacted: they were not reproduced in Statutes in Force and do not reflect any amendments or repeals which may have been made prior to 1.2.1991.

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