



# Sheriff Courts (Scotland) Act 1971

## 1971 CHAPTER 58

### PART I

#### CONSTITUTION, ORGANISATION AND ADMINISTRATION

##### *Sheriffdoms*

## 2 Power of Secretary of State to alter sheriffdoms.

<sup>F1</sup>(1) .....

<sup>F1</sup>(2) .....

<sup>F1</sup>(2A) .....

<sup>F1</sup>(2B) .....

<sup>F2</sup>(3) .....

<sup>F1</sup>(4) .....

<sup>F1</sup>(5) .....

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Act (except for ss. 2(3), 3(4)) repealed (S.) (1.4.2015 except for the repeal of ss. 31, 35, 36(2)(3), 36A, 36B, 37, 38, 45, 22.9.2015 for the repeal of ss. 31, 37(1)(b)(2A)(2D), 28.11.2016 for the repeal of ss. 35(2)-(4), 36A, 36B, 37(2B)(2C) and the repeal of specified words in s. 38(b)) by [Courts Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(asp 18\)](#), s. 138(2), [sch. 5 para. 6\(2\)](#); S.S.I. 2015/77, art. 2(2)(3), sch. (with art. 7); S.S.I. 2015/247, art. 2, sch. (with art. 9); S.S.I. 2016/291, art. 2, sch. (with art. 3(1)(2))
- F2** S. 2(3) repealed (1.4.2015) by [The Courts Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(Consequential Provisions and Modifications\) Order 2015 \(S.I. 2015/700\)](#), arts. 1(4), [2\(3\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

Sheriff Courts (Scotland) Act 1971, Section 2 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 21 April 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(3) words substituted by [2014 asp 18 sch. 5 para. 6\(3\)](#)