



# Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1980

## 1980 CHAPTER 55

### *Miscellaneous*

#### **25 Solicitors' clients' accounts.**

- (a) in section 36(1) (interest on client's money)—
  - (i) the word "either" shall cease to have effect;
  - (ii) after paragraph (a) there shall be inserted the following paragraph—
    - “(aa) to keep in—
      - (i) a deposit or share account with a designated building society; or
      - (ii) an account showing sums on loan to a local authority,being in either case an account kept by the solicitor in his own name for a specified client, money so received; or”;
    - (iii) in paragraph (b) after the words “paragraph (a)”, there shall be inserted the words “ or (aa) ”;
- (b) in section 42(3) (exceptions to provisions regarding distribution of sums in client's bank account), at the end there shall be added the words
  - “; nor shall any regard be had for such purposes to any—
    - (a) deposit or share account with a designated building society; or
    - (b) account showing sums on loan to a local authority,being in either case an account kept by the solicitor in his own name for a specified client.”; and
- (c) .....

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**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1980, Section 25. (See end of Document for details)

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### Textual Amendments

**F1** S. 25(c) repealed by Solicitors (Scotland) Act 1988 (c. 42, SIF 76:2), s. 6(2)(3), **Sch. 2**

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### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

**C1** The text of ss. 23, 25, 28 is in the form in which it was originally enacted: it was not reproduced in Statutes in Force and, except as specified, does not reflect any amendments or repeals which may have been made prior to 1.2.1991.

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