



Contracts (Applicable Law) Act 1990

1990 CHAPTER 36

3 Interpretation of [^{F1}the Rome Convention].

[^{F2}(1) Any question as to the meaning or effect of any provision of the Rome Convention is to be decided in accordance with section 6 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (interpretation of retained EU law).]

^{F3}(2)

(3) Without prejudice to any practice of the courts as to the matters which may be considered apart from this subsection—

(a) the report on the [^{F4}Convention on the law applicable to contractual obligations] by Professor Mario Giuliano and Professor Paul Lagarde which is reproduced in the Official Journal of the ^{M1}Communities of 31st October 1980 may be considered in ascertaining the meaning or effect of any provision of [^{F5}the Rome Convention]; ^{F6}...

^{F6}(b)

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 3 heading substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Law Applicable to Contractual Obligations and Non-Contractual Obligations \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/834), regs. 1, [3\(4\)\(a\)](#); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F2** S. 3(1) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Law Applicable to Contractual Obligations and Non-Contractual Obligations \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/834), regs. 1, [3\(4\)\(b\)](#); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F3** S. 3(2) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of [The Law Applicable to Contractual Obligations and Non-Contractual Obligations \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/834), regs. 1, [3\(4\)\(c\)](#); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F4** Words in s. 3(3)(a) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Law Applicable to Contractual Obligations and Non-Contractual Obligations \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/834), regs. 1, [3\(4\)\(d\)\(i\)](#); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F5** Words in s. 3(3)(a) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Law Applicable to Contractual Obligations and Non-Contractual Obligations \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/834), regs. 1, [3\(4\)\(d\)\(ii\)](#); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Contracts (Applicable Law) Act 1990, Section 3. (See end of Document for details)

- F6** S. 3(3)(b) and word omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of [The Law Applicable to Contractual Obligations and Non-Contractual Obligations \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/834), regs. 1, [3\(4\)\(e\)](#); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 3 partly in force; s. 3(a) in force 1.4.1991 by s. 7 and [S.I. 1991/707](#), [art. 2](#)
I2 S. 3(1)(2)(3)(b) in force at 1.3.2005 by [S.I. 2004/3448](#), [art. 2\(b\)](#)

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