



# Post Office (Horizon System) Compensation Act 2024

## 2024 CHAPTER 1

### **1 Expenditure in connection with compensation schemes relating to Post Office Horizon system etc.**

- (1) There may be paid out of money provided by Parliament expenditure incurred by the Secretary of State under, or in connection with, schemes or other arrangements—
  - (a) to compensate persons affected by the Horizon system;
  - (b) to compensate persons in respect of other matters identified in High Court judgments given in proceedings relating to the Horizon system.
- (2) “The Horizon system” means previous versions of the computer system known as Horizon (and sometimes referred to as Legacy Horizon, Horizon Online or HNG-X) used by Post Office Limited.

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#### **Commencement Information**

**II** S. 1 in force at Royal Assent

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Post Office (Horizon System) Compensation Act 2024, Section 1.