



Jurisdiction in Rating Act 1877

1877 CHAPTER 11 40 and 41 Vict

An Act to make provision with respect to Judicial proceedings in certain cases relating to Rating. [17th May 1877]

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Short title “The Jurisdiction in Rating Act 1877” given by [Short Titles Act 1896 \(c. 14\)](#)
- C2 Words of enactment omitted under authority of [Statute Law Revision Act 1948 \(c. 62\), s. 3](#)
- C3 Certain words repealed by [Statute Law Revision Act 1894 \(c. 56\)](#)
- C4 This Act is not necessarily in the form in which it has effect in Northern Ireland

1 Judges may act in certain cases relating to rates.

No judge shall be incapable of acting in his judicial office in any proceeding, by reason of his being, as one of several ratepayers, or as one of any other class of persons, liable, in common with the others, to contribute to or to be benefited by any rate which may be increased, diminished, or in any way affected by such proceeding.

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Textual Amendments

- F1 S. 2 repealed by [Statute Law Revision Act 1883 \(c. 39\)](#)

3 Interpretation.

In this Act, if not inconsistent with the context, the following words and expressions have the meanings herein-after respectively assigned to them; that is to say,

“Judge” means—

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[^{F4}As to Scotland, any Judge of the High Court of Session; and]

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As to the United Kingdom, any Lord of Appeal, or Peer of Parliament, when sitting and voting in the House of Lords, upon the hearing of any matter brought before that House by way of error, or appeal from any other Court.

“Rate” means any rate, tax, duty, or assessment, whether public, general or local, and also any fund formed from the proceeds of any such rate, tax, duty, or assessment, or applicable to the same, or like purposes to which any such rate, tax, duty, or assessment might be applied.

Textual Amendments

- F2** Definition repealed by [Supreme Court of Judicature \(Consolidation\) Act 1925 \(c. 49\)](#), s. 226, [Sch. 6](#)
- F3** Words repealed by [Judicature \(Northern Ireland\) Act 1978 \(c. 23, SIF 38\)](#), [Sch. 7](#)
- F4** Words repealed (S.) (with re-enactment of the same words) so far as relating to Scotland by [Court of Session Act 1988 \(c. 36, SIF 36:1\)](#), [s. 52 \(2\)](#), Sch. 2 Pt. I Pt. II

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