
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1975 No. 423

MAINTENANCE OF DEPENDANTS

The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance
(Convention Countries) Order 1975

Made - - - - 18th March 1975
Coming into Operation 12th April 1975

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 18th day of March 1975

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 25(1) of the Maintenance Orders (Reciprocal Enforcement) Act 1972, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1975 and shall come into operation on 12th April 1975.

Commencement Information

II Art. 1 in force at 12.4.1975, see [art. 1](#)

2. The countries and territories specified in the Schedule to this Order, being countries and territories outside the United Kingdom to which the United Nations Convention on the Recovery Abroad of Maintenance done at New York on 20th June 1956 extends, are hereby declared to be convention countries for the purposes of Part II of the Maintenance Orders (Reciprocal Enforcement) Act 1972.

Commencement Information

I2 Art. 2 in force at 12.4.1975, see [art. 1](#)

N.E. Leigh

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SCHEDULE

Article 2

CONVENTION COUNTRIES

Commencement Information

I3 Sch. in force at 12.4.1975, see [art. 1](#)

Algeria

[^{F1}Australia]

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Barbados

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[^{F3}Bosnia and Herzegovina]

Brazil

[^{F4}Burkina Faso]

[^{F5}Cape Verde]

Central African Republic

Chile

[^{F6}Croatia]

[^{F7}Denmark]

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Ecuador

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Comoro Archipelago

French Polynesia

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New Caledonia and Dependencies

St. Pierre and Miquelon

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Guatemala

Haiti

Holy See

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Israel

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[^{F10}Mexico]

Monaco

Morocco

F2 ... Netherlands Antilles [^{F11}and Aruba]

[^{F12}New Zealand]

Niger

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Pakistan

Philippines

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Sri Lanka

[^{F14}Suriname]

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[^{F15}Switzerland]

[^{F16}the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia]

Tunisia

Turkey

[^{F17}Uruguay]

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Yugoslavia

[^{F19}(For [^{F20}special provision about Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands (Kingdom in Europe), Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden], see paragraph 7 of Schedule 4 to the International Recovery of Maintenance (Hague Convention 2007 etc.) Regulations 2012.)]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Word in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by [The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance \(Convention Countries\) Order 1996 \(S.I. 1996/1925\)](#), arts. 1, **2(2)(a)**
- F2** Words in Sch. revoked (7.12.2012) by [The International Recovery of Maintenance \(Hague Convention 2007 etc.\) Regulations 2012 \(S.I. 2012/2814\)](#), reg. 1(2), **Sch. 5 para. 4(1)** (with Sch. 5 para. 4(2))
- F3** Words in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by [The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance \(Convention Countries\) Order 1996 \(S.I. 1996/1925\)](#), arts. 1, **2(2)(b)**

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- F4** Words in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(2)(c)**
- F5** Words in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(2)(d)**
- F6** Word in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(2)(e)**
- F7** Word in Sch. inserted (31.12.2020) by The Jurisdiction and Judgments (Family) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/519), reg. 1(1), **Sch. para. 30(a)** (with reg. 8) (as amended by S.I. 2020/1574, regs. 1, 5(2)); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F8** Words in Sch. omitted (1.9.1996) by virtue of The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(3)(d)**
- F9** Words in Sch. omitted (1.9.1996) by virtue of The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(3)(c)**
- F10** Word in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(2)(g)**
- F11** Words in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(3)(e)**
- F12** Words in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(2)(h)**
- F13** Words in Sch. revoked (coming into force in accordance with reg. 1(1) of the amending S.I.) by The International Recovery of Maintenance (Hague Convention 2007 etc.) Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/2814), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 7(1)** (with Sch. 4 para. 7(3)(4))
- F14** Word in Sch. inserted (1.12.1982) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1982 (S.I. 1982/1530), arts. 1, **2(2)**
- F15** Word in Sch. inserted (23.3.1978) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1978 (S.I. 1978/279), arts. 1, **2(2)**
- F16** Words in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(2)(l)**
- F17** Word in Sch. inserted (1.9.1996) by The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(2)(m)**
- F18** Words in Sch. omitted (1.9.1996) by virtue of The Recovery Abroad of Maintenance (Convention Countries) Order 1996 (S.I. 1996/1925), arts. 1, **2(3)(b)**
- F19** Words in Sch. inserted (coming into force in accordance with reg. 1(1) of the amending S.I.) by The International Recovery of Maintenance (Hague Convention 2007 etc.) Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/2814), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 7(2)**
- F20** Words in Sch. substituted (31.12.2020) by The Jurisdiction and Judgments (Family) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/519), reg. 1(1), **Sch. para. 30(b)** (with reg. 8) (as amended by S.I. 2020/1574, regs. 1, 5(2)); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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