

# Housing (Scotland) Act 2014

#### PART 4

#### **LETTING AGENTS**

Consequences of refusal or removal

## 42 Note on register where refusal or removal

- (1) Where the Scottish Ministers refuse to enter a person in the register or to renew a person's existing entry in the register under section 32, they must, after the date of final refusal, note that fact in the register.
- (2) Where the Scottish Ministers remove a person from the register under section 39 they must, after the date of final refusal, note that fact in the register.
- (3) For the purposes of this section the date of final refusal is the later of the date on which—
  - (a) the period mentioned in section 41(2) expires without an appeal being made,
  - (b) where such an appeal has been made, the appeal is finally determined or abandoned.
- (4) Where a fact is noted by virtue of subsection (1) or (2) it must—
  - (a) remain on the register for the period of 12 months beginning with the date on which the Scottish Ministers are required to note it in the register, and
  - (b) be removed from the register at the end of that period.
- (5) But where a person in respect of whom the Scottish Ministers note a fact by virtue of subsection (1) or (2) is subsequently entered in the register before the end of the period mentioned in subsection (4)(a), the Scottish Ministers must remove the fact from the register.

## **Commencement Information**

I1 S. 42 in force at 31.1.2018 by S.S.I. 2016/412, art. 2, sch.

Changes to legislation: Housing (Scotland) Act 2014, Cross Heading: Consequences of refusal or removal is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 18 June 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations. (See end of Document for details) View outstanding changes

### No payment for letting agency work where refusal or removal

- (1) This section applies where the Scottish Ministers—
  - (a) refuse to enter a person in the register or to renew the person's existing entry in the register under section 32,
  - (b) remove a person from the register under section 38,
  - (c) remove a person from the register under section 39,
  - (d) remove a person from the register under section 40.
- (2) After the relevant date—
  - (a) no costs incurred by the person in respect of letting agency work are recoverable,
  - (b) no charge imposed by the person which relates to letting agency work in a period after the relevant date is recoverable.
- (3) Subsection (2)(a) does not apply in relation to costs incurred before the relevant date in a case where the person is removed from the register under section 38 or 40.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as practicable after the relevant date, publish in such manner as they think fit a notice of—
  - (a) the refusal or removal mentioned in subsection (1),
  - (b) the relevant date, and
  - (c) the effect of subsection (2).
- (5) For the purposes of this section, the relevant date—
  - (a) in the case of a refusal or removal mentioned in subsection (1)(a) or (c), is the later of the date on which—
    - (i) the period mentioned in section 41(2) expires without an appeal being made,
    - (ii) where such an appeal has been made, the appeal is finally determined or abandoned, and
  - (b) in the case of a removal mentioned in subsection (1)(b) or (d), is the day after the day on which the person is removed from the register.

#### **Commencement Information**

I2 S. 43 in force at 31.1.2018 by S.S.I. 2016/412, art. 2, sch.

#### **Changes to legislation:**

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### Changes and effects yet to be applied to:

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.S.I. 2016/412, art. 3(1)
  (a) by S.S.I. 2017/330 art. 2
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SSI 2015/272 Sch. by S.S.I. 2015/349 art. 2(2)