



Consumer Scotland Act 2020

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PART 1 **S**

CONSUMER SCOTLAND

Review of performance and modification of functions

20 Power to modify Consumer Scotland's functions **S**

- (1) Subject to subsection (3), the Scottish Ministers may by regulations—
 - (a) confer functions on Consumer Scotland,
 - (b) vary the functions of Consumer Scotland,
 - (c) remove functions from Consumer Scotland.
- (2) In subsection (1)—
 - (a) the reference to conferring functions on Consumer Scotland includes reference to transferring functions from another person to Consumer Scotland, and
 - (b) the reference to removing functions from Consumer Scotland includes reference to transferring functions from Consumer Scotland to another person.
- (3) Regulations under subsection (1) may not remove Consumer Scotland's functions under section 2.
- (4) Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult—
 - (a) Consumer Scotland,
 - (b) any person to whom, or from whom, functions are being transferred, and
 - (c) such other persons as they consider appropriate.
- (5) Regulations under subsection (1) may modify this Act or any other enactment.

Commencement Information

II [S. 20](#) in force at 1.4.2022 by [S.S.I. 2021/464](#), [reg. 2](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Consumer Scotland Act 2020, Section 20.