



# Scottish General Election (Coronavirus) Act 2021

2021 asp 5

*Other arrangements for 2021 election*

**7 Dissolution of current Parliament: consequential modifications**

- (1) In relation to the 2021 election, the 2015 Order has effect in accordance with the modifications in this section.
- (2) In article 80(1), the provision as to when a person becomes a candidate in relation to a Scottish parliamentary election has effect as if for the words from “on the date of” to “issued” there were substituted “on the day which is 27 days before 6 May 2021, computed in accordance with rule 2 of the Scottish Parliamentary Election Rules (computation of time)”.
- (3) Paragraph 1(2)(a)(i) of schedule 1 has effect as if for the words “the date of the dissolution of the Parliament as provided for at section 2(3)(a) of the 1998 Act” there were substituted “the day which is 27 days before the day of the poll at the election, computed in accordance with rule 2 of the Scottish Parliamentary Election Rules (computation of time)”.