



Coronavirus (Discretionary Compensation for Self-isolation) (Scotland) Act 2022

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1 Discretionary compensation for self-isolation

- (1) The Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008 applies in accordance with the modifications in [subsections \(2\) and \(3\)](#).
- (2) Section 56 has effect as if—
 - (a) in subsection (1), at the beginning there were inserted “Subject to subsection (1A),”,
 - (b) after subsection (1), there were inserted—

“(1A) If the request under subsection (1) is made for a reason relating to coronavirus, the health board may compensate the person to whom the request is made, but is not required to do so.”,
 - (c) after subsection (6), there were inserted—

“(7) In this section, “coronavirus” means severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2).”.
- (3) Section 58 has effect as if—
 - (a) in subsection (2), at the beginning, there were inserted “Subject to subsection (2A),”,
 - (b) after subsection (2), there were inserted—

“(2A) If the order or, as the case may be, the request by the health board is made for a reason relating to coronavirus, the board may compensate the carer, but is not required to do so.”,
 - (c) after subsection (5), there were inserted—

“(6) In this section, “coronavirus” means severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2).”.