



Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. (Scotland) Act 2003

2003 asp 4

PART 3

GENERAL PROVISIONS

20 Interpretation

In this Act—

- “the 1978 Act” means the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (c. 29);
- “the 1980 Act” means the Solicitors (Scotland) Act 1980 (c. 46);
- “the 1990 Act” means the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1990 (c. 40);
- ^{F1} ...
- [^{F2}“Commissioner” means the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland;]
- “the Parliament” means the Scottish Parliament;
- “the specified authorities” is to be construed in accordance with section 2.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 20 repealed (1.8.2010) by [Public Services Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(asp 8\)](#), [ss. 7\(3\)\(c\)](#), [134\(7\)](#); [S.S.I. 2010/221](#), [art. 3\(2\)](#), [sch.](#)
- F2** Words in s. 20 substituted (1.7.2013) by [The Public Services Reform \(Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland etc.\) Order 2013 \(S.S.I. 2013/197\)](#), [art. 1](#), [sch. 2 para. 16\(b\)](#) (with [sch. 4 para. 3](#))

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 20 in force at 15.8.2003 for specified purposes by [S.S.I. 2003/384](#), [art. 2\(c\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. (Scotland) Act 2003, Section 20.