

# Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1968

# **CHAPTER 34**

# AGRICULTURE (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1968

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SCHEDULE 1 — Transitional provisions relating to payments under s.9 in England and Wales.

- 1 Where the relevant notice is served on the tenant after...
- 2 Where either—(a) the relevant notice is served on the...
- 3 Where the tribunal have, on or before the commencement date,...
- 4 Where the tribunal make a determination under paragraph 2 or...
- 5 In this Schedule— " the commencement date " means the...

SCHEDULE 2 — Transitional provisions relating to payments under s.9 in Scotland.

- 1 Where the relevant notice (not being a notice given in...
- 2 Where the relevant notice is given in pursuance of section...
- 3 Where the relevant notice is a notice to which, apart...
- 4 Where either—(a) the relevant notice is served on the...
- 5 Where the court have, on or before the commencement date,...
- 6 Where the court make a determination under paragraph 4 or...
- 7 In this Schedule— " the commencement date " means the...

SCHEDULE 3 — Supplementary provisions with respect to payments under s.12(1) in England and Wales.

- 1 Subject to paragraph 4 of this Schedule, any dispute with...
- 2 If in any case the sum to be paid by...
- 3 Where, on an application under paragraph 2 above, the tribunal...
- 4 The enactments mentioned in paragraph 5 of this Schedule shall,...
- 5 The enactments aforesaid are— (a) Part I and section 32...

SCHEDULE 4 — Supplementary provisions with respect to payments under s.12(1) in Scotland.

- 1 Subject to paragraph 4 of this Schedule, any dispute with...
- 2 If in any case the sum to be paid by...
- 3 Where, on an application under paragraph 2 above, the tribunal...
- 4 The enactments mentioned in paragraph 5 of this Schedule shall,...
- 5 The enactments aforesaid are— (a) the following provisions of the...
- 6 Until sections 1 to 3 of the Lands Tribunal Act...

SCHEDULE 5 — Modifications of Part II for statutory small tenants in Scotland.

- 1 In section 9(3), at the end there shall be added...
- 2 In section 11(5), after the words "Scottish Act ", there...
- 3 In section 11(6), in paragraph (b) after the word "...
- 4 In section 15(1), at the end there shall be added...
- 5 In section 15(3), after the word " section " there...
- 6 In Schedule 4, in paragraph 2 after the words "...
- 7 In Schedule 4, in paragraph 3(a) after the word "...
- 8 In this Schedule, " the Act of 1911 " means...

SCHEDULE 6 — Consequential Modifications of Part I of Land Drainage Act 1961.

- 1 The following provisions of the principal Act shall cease to...
- 2 For references to chargeable hereditaments in Part I of the...
- 3 Without prejudice to the operation of section 29(2) of this...
- 4 In section 4(3) of the principal Act for references to...
- 5 In section 16 of the principal Act for the definition...
- 6 In this Schedule expressions defined by sections 21(2) and 29(1)...

SCHEDULE 7 — Minor Amendments of Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964.

SCHEDULE 8 — Repeals.