



# Betting and Gaming Duties Act 1981

## 1981 CHAPTER 63

### PART I

#### BETTING DUTIES

##### *[<sup>F1</sup>General]*

##### **[<sup>F1</sup>9A Further prohibitions for protection of revenue: overseas bet-brokers**

- (1) A person shall be guilty of an offence if—
  - (a) he knowingly issues, circulates or distributes in the United Kingdom, or has in his possession for that purpose, any advertisement or other document inviting the use of or otherwise relating to bet-broking services, and
  - (b) any person providing any of the bet-broking services concerned—
    - (i) is outside the United Kingdom, and
    - (ii) provides them in the course of a business.
- (2) In this section “bet-broking services” means—
  - (a) facilities provided by a person that may be used by other persons in making bets with third persons, or
  - (b) a person’s services of acting as agent for other persons in making bets on their behalf with third parties (whether the persons on whose behalf the bets are made are disclosed principals or undisclosed principals).
- (3) In subsection (2) “bet” means a bet other than one made by way of pool betting.
- (4) A person who gets or tries to get any advertisement or other document given or sent to him shall not be guilty of an offence by reason of his thereby procuring or inciting some other person to commit, or aiding or abetting the commission of, an offence under this section.]

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