
DRAFT SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No.

**The Scottish Parliament (Elections etc.)
(Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2020**

Amendment of the Scottish Parliament (Elections etc.) Order 2015

- 18.**—(1) Schedule 6 (legal proceedings) is amended as follows.
- (2) In the table in Part 1 (election and return of constituency member)—
- (a) in the right hand column of the entry for section 160—
 - (i) omit “omit paragraph (a)(i) and,”,
 - (ii) for “subsections (4A) and” substitute “subsection”,
 - (b) in the right hand column of the entry for section 173—
 - (i) omit “omit paragraph (a)(i) and,”,
 - (ii) omit “Omit subsection (2).”,
 - (c) after the entry in the table for section 180 (evidence by certificate of holding of elections) insert a new entry—

“Section 180A (evidence by certificate of electoral registration)”.

- (3) In the table in Part 2 (election and return of regional member)—
- (a) after the entry for section 157 (appeals and jurisdiction) insert a new entry—

“Section 160 (persons reported personally guilty of corrupt or illegal practices)

Omit subsection (1) to (3) and (6).
In subsection (4)—

- (a) for the words “reported by an election court personally guilty” substitute “convicted”,
- (b) after “Kingdom” insert “or election to the Scottish parliament”, and
- (c) after “Commons” in each place where it occurs, insert “or the Scottish Parliament”.

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- (d) after the entry in the table for section 180 (evidence by certificate of holding of elections) insert a new entry—

“Section 180A (evidence by certificate of electoral registration)”.
