
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders
(United States of America) (Scotland) Order 2007**

Scope – devolved competence

3. This Order applies in respect of a maintenance order unless the Secretary of State would have had jurisdiction⁽¹⁾ to make a maintenance calculation (within the meaning of the Child Support Act 1991) as regards that maintenance with respect to a child—

- (a) who is a payee under the maintenance order; or
- (b) where a payee under the maintenance order is another person in relation to whom the Secretary of State has arranged for the collection of payments for that child's benefit.

⁽¹⁾ See section 44 of the Child Support Act 1991 (c. 48). The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders (United States of America) Order 2007 (S.I.2007/2005) (“the UK Order”), which applies throughout the United Kingdom, includes provision in relation to the Scottish courts equivalent to this Order for maintenance orders outwith the scope of this Order.