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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1

Section 1.

#### DEFINITION OF “RELATIVE”

- 1 In this Act “relative” in relation to a deceased person includes—
- (a) any person who immediately before the deceased’s death was the spouse of the deceased;
  - [<sup>F1</sup>(aa) any person, not being the spouse of the deceased, who was, immediately before the deceased’s death, living with the deceased as husband or wife;]
  - (b) any person who was a parent or child of the deceased;
  - (c) any person not falling within paragraph (b) above who was accepted by the deceased as a child of his family;
  - (d) any person who was an ascendant or descendant (other than a parent or child) of the deceased;
  - (e) any person who was, or was the issue of, a brother, sister, uncle or aunt of the deceased; and
  - (f) any person who, having been a spouse of the deceased, had ceased to be so by virtue of a divorce;
- but does not include any other person.

#### Textual Amendments

**F1** Sch. 1 para. 1(aa) inserted by [Administration of Justice Act 1982 \(c. 53, SIF 112:3\)](#), **ss. 14(4), 73(5)**

- 2 In deducing any relationship for the purposes of the foregoing paragraph—
- (a) any relationship by affinity shall be treated as a relationship by consanguinity; any relationship of the half blood shall be treated as a relationship of the whole blood; and the stepchild of any person shall be treated as his child; and
  - [<sup>F2</sup>(b) section 1(1) of the Law Reform (Parent and Child) (Scotland) Act 1986 shall apply; and any reference (however expressed) in this Act to a relative shall be construed accordingly.]

#### Textual Amendments

**F2** Sch. 1 para. 2(b) substituted by [Law Reform \(Parent and Child\) \(Scotland\) Act 1986 \(c. 9, SIF 49:8\)](#), **ss. 9, 10(1), Sch. 1 para. 15**

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## SCHEDULE 2

Section 11.

## REPEALS.

<b>Chapter</b>	<b>Short Title</b>	<b>Extent of Repeal</b>
3 & 4 Geo. 6. c. 42.	Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1940.	Section 2.
11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 41.	Law Reform (Personal Injuries) Act 1948.	Section 2(5A).
1 & 2 Eliz. 2. c. 7.	Law Reform (Personal Injuries) (Amendment) Act 1953.	The whole Act
10 & 11 Eliz. 2. c. 42.	Law Reform (Damages and Solatium) (Scotland) Act 1962.	The whole Act.
1972 c. 33.	Carriage by Railway Act 1972.	Section 3(2).

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