



# Fatal Accidents and Sudden Deaths Inquiry (Scotland) Act 1976

## CHAPTER 14

### FATAL ACCIDENTS AND SUDDEN DEATHS INQUIRY (SCOTLAND) ACT 1976

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###### *The Gas Act 1965*

- 1 In section 17(4) (accidents), for the words " Inquiry (Scotland)..."

###### *The Merchant Shipping Act 1970*

- 2 In section 61(4) (inquiries into death of crew members and...)

*The Mineral Workings (Offshore Installations) Act 1971*

- 3 At the end of section 6 (safety regulations), there shall...

*The Health and Safety at Work Etc. Act 1974*

- 4 In section 14(7) (which provides that no inquiry under the...

*The Petroleum and Submarine Pipe-lines Act 1975*

- 5 In section 27(5) (inspectors), for the words " Inquiry (Scotland)..."

SCHEDULE 2 — Repeals