



# Unfair Contract Terms Act 1977

## 1977 CHAPTER 50

An Act to impose further limits on the extent to which under the law of England and Wales and Northern Ireland civil liability for breach of contract, or for negligence or other breach of duty, can be avoided by means of contract terms and otherwise, and under the law of Scotland civil liability can be avoided by means of contract terms.

[26th October 1977]

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### **Commencement Information**

**II** Act not in force at Royal Assent; Act wholly in force at 1.2.1978 see [s. 31\(1\)](#)

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 15/11/2005.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Unfair Contract Terms Act 1977, Introductory Text.