



Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979

CHAPTER 4

ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR DUTIES ACT 1979 (REPEALED)

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- Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979 (repealed)
- SCHEDULE 1 — Table of rates of duty on wine and made-wine
- Part I — WINE OR MADE-WINE OF A STRENGTH NOT EXCEEDING 22 PER CENT.
- Part II — WINE OR MADE-WINE OF A STRENGTH EXCEEDING 22 PER CENT.

Interpretation

- 1 Paragraphs 2 and 3 below apply for the purposes of...
- 2 (1) Wine or made-wine which is for the time being...
- 3 (1) Wine or made-wine shall be regarded as having been...

SCHEDULE 2 — ...

SCHEDULE 3 — CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

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Licensing Act 1964

- 5 (1) The Licensing Act 1964 shall be amended as provided...
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Licensing Act (Northern Ireland) 1971

- 8 (1)

Licensing (Scotland) Act 1976

- 9 In section 139(1) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 1976 the...

SCHEDULE 4 — REPEALS

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