



British Nationality (Falkland Islands) Act 1983

1983 CHAPTER 6

1 Acquisition of British citizenship at commencement of 1981 Act or by birth or adoption.

- (1) A person shall at commencement become a British citizen if—
- (a) that person becomes a British Dependent Territories citizen at commencement under section 23 of the 1981 Act (persons becoming British Dependent Territories citizens at commencement); and
 - (b) immediately before commencement either—
 - (i) that person was a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies who had that citizenship by his birth, naturalisation or registration in the Falkland Islands; or
 - (ii) one of that person's parents, or a parent of one of that person's parents, was, or but for his death would have been, a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies who so had that citizenship; or
 - (iii) that person, being a woman, was, or had at any time been, the wife of a man who by virtue of subparagraph (i) or (ii) becomes a British citizen at commencement or would have done so but for his death.

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Textual Amendments

F1 S. 1(2)-(5) repealed (21.5.2002) by 2002 c. 8, s. 7, **Sch. 2**; S.I. 2002/1252, **art. 2(c)**

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the British Nationality (Falkland Islands) Act 1983, Section 1.