



# Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1985

## 1985 CHAPTER 73

### *Provisions relating to other contracts and obligations*

#### **11 Amendment of Bills of Exchange Act 1882 as respects countermanded cheques**

In the Bills of Exchange Act 1882—

- (a) at the beginning of section 53(2) (which provides as to the effect of presentment of a bill of exchange) there shall be inserted the words " Subject to section 75A of this Act, "; and
- (b) after section 75 there shall be inserted the following section—
  - (1) On the countermand of payment of a cheque, the banker shall be treated as having no funds available for the payment of the cheque.
  - (2) This section applies to Scotland only."