



Housing (Scotland) Act 1987

1987 CHAPTER 26

PART VIII

HOUSES IN MULTIPLE OCCUPATION

Registration schemes

155 Power to require information for purposes of scheme.

- (1) Without prejudice to the provisions of section 325 (power of local authority to require occupier to state interest), a local authority may—
- for the purpose of ascertaining whether a house or building is registrable, and
 - for the purpose of ascertaining the particulars to be entered in the register as regards the house or building,

require any person who has ^{F1}a right or interest in, or who lives in, the house or building to state in writing any information in his possession which the authority may reasonably require for that purpose.

- (2) Any person who, having been required in pursuance of this section to give information to a local authority, fails to give information, or knowingly makes any mis-statement in respect of it, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 2 on the standard scale.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 155(1) substituted (28.11.2004) by [Abolition of Feudal Tenure etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2000](#) (asp 5), ss. 71, 77(2), [sch. 12 para. 48\(6\)](#) (with ss. 58, 62, 75); S.S.I. 2003/456, art. 2

Status:

Point in time view as at 28/11/2004. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

Housing (Scotland) Act 1987, Section 155 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 04 August 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.