



Pedlars Act 1871

1871 CHAPTER 96 34 and 35 Vict

Preliminary

1 Short title.

This Act may be cited as “The Pedlars Act 1871.”

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Textual Amendments

F1 S. 2 repealed by [Statute Law Revision \(No. 2\) Act 1893 \(c. 54\)](#)

3 Interpretation of certain terms in this Act. “Pedlar”.

In this Act, if not inconsistent with the context, the following terms have the meanings hereinafter respectively assigned to them; that is to say,—

The term “pedlar” means any hawker, pedlar, petty chapman, tinker, caster of metals, mender of chairs, or other person who, without any horse or other beast bearing or drawing burden, travels and trades on foot and goes from town to town or to other men’s houses, carrying to sell or exposing for sale any goods, wares, or merchandise, or procuring orders for goods, wares, or merchandise immediately to be delivered, or selling or offering for sale his skill in handicraft;

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Textual Amendments

F2 Definitions repealed by [Statute Law Revision \(No. 2\) Act 1893 \(c. 54\)](#), [Police Act 1964 \(c. 48\)](#), [Sch. 10 Pt. I](#) and [Police \(Scotland\) Act 1967 \(c. 77\)](#), [Sch. 5 Pts. I, II](#)

F3 Definiton in s. 3 repealed (5.11.1993) by [1993 c. 50, s. 1\(1\)](#), [Sch. 1 Pt. I](#) Group 1.

Status:

Point in time view as at 05/11/1993.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Pedlars Act 1871, Cross Heading: Preliminary.