STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1977 No. 973 (S. 69)

SHERIFF COURT, SCOTLAND

Act of Sederunt (Proceedings under Sex Discrimination Act 1975) 1977

Made - - - 31st May 1977

Coming into Operation 21st June 1977

The Lords of Council and Session, under and by virtue of the power conferred on them by section 32 of the Sheriff Courts (Scotland) Act 1971(a) and section 66(5)A of the Sex Discrimination Act 1975(b) as inserted by paragraph 5(2) of Schedule 4 of the Race Relations Act 1976(c) and of all other powers competent to them in that behalf do hereby enact and declare:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

- 1.—(1) This Act of Sederunt may be cited as the Act of Sederunt (Proceedings under Sex Discrimination Act 1975) 1977 and shall come into operation on 21st June 1977.
- (2) In this Act of Sederunt "the Act" means the Sex Discrimination Act 1975, and "the Commission" means the Equal Opportunities Commission established under section 53 of the Act.
- (3) The Interpretation Act 1889(d) shall apply for the interpretation of this Act of Sederunt as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Intimation of proceedings

2. When any proceedings are brought under section 66 of the Act the applicant shall send by recorded delivery post a copy of the summons or initial writ initiating the action to the Commission.

And the Lords appoint this Act of Sederunt to be inserted in the Books of Sederunt.

G. C. Emslie,

I.P.D.

Edinburgh 31st May 1977.

(a) 1971 c. 58. (b) 1975 c. 65. (c)

(c) 1976 c. 74.

(d) 1889 c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

(This Note is not part of the Act of Sederunt.)

This Act of Sederunt provides for intimation of proceedings to be made to the Equal Opportunities Commission by sending a copy initial writ by recorded delivery post.

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