
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1992 No. 1989

The Child Support (Collection and Enforcement) Regulations 1992

PART IV

LIABILITY ORDERS

Liability orders

29.—(1) [^{F1}A liability order shall be made in the form prescribed in Schedule 1.]

(2) A liability order made by a court in England or Wales or any corresponding order made by a court in Northern Ireland may be enforced in Scotland as if it had been made by the sheriff.

(3) A liability order made by the sheriff in Scotland or any corresponding order made by a court in Northern Ireland may, subject to paragraph (4), be enforced in England and Wales as if it had been made by a magistrates' court in England and Wales.

(4) A liability order made by the sheriff in Scotland or a corresponding order made by a court in Northern Ireland shall not be enforced in England or Wales unless registered in accordance with the provisions of [^{F2}Part II] of the Maintenance Orders Act 1950 ^{M1} and for this purpose—

- (a) a liability order made by the sheriff in Scotland shall be treated as if it were a decree to which section 16(2)(b) of that Act applies (decree for payment of aliment);
- (b) a corresponding order made by a court in Northern Ireland shall be treated as if it were an order to which section 16(2)(c) of that Act applies (order for alimony, maintenance or other payments).

Textual Amendments

F1 Reg. 29(1) omitted (E.W.) (19.7.2021) by virtue of [The Child Support \(Collection and Enforcement and Maintenance Calculation\) \(Amendment No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(S.I. 2021/763\)](#), regs. 1(2), **3(2)**

F2 Words in reg. 29(4) substituted (5.4.1993) by [S.I. 1993/913](#), **reg. 1(1)**, 43

Marginal Citations

M1 1950 c.37.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Child Support (Collection and Enforcement) Regulations 1992, Section 29.