LEGAL AID AND ADVICE, SCOTLAND

The Legal Aid (Scotland) Act, 1949 (Commencement) (No. 2) Order, 1950

1950 No. 1512 (S. 108)

Made - - - - 7th September, 1950

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 17 (4) of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Act, 1949(a), I hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Legal Aid (Scotland) Act, 1949 (Commencement) (No. 2) Order, 1950.

2. The following provisions of the said Act shall come into operation on the second day of October, 1950, that is to say:

(*a*) sections one to four, subsections (3) to (7) of section six, sections fourteen to sixteen and the First, Second and Third Schedules in so far as they provide for and relate to legal aid in connection with civil proceedings before the Court of Session and the sheriff court;

(*b*) subsections (1), (2) and (4) of section seventeen in so far as they relate to the provisions of the said Act hereby brought into operation; and

(*c*) subsections (3) and (5) of section seventeen and Part I of the Eighth Schedule in so far as they repeal any enactment providing for the representation of poor persons in such proceedings as aforesaid.

Hector McNeil,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
7th September, 1950.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.*)

This Order brings into operation on 2nd October, 1950, the remainder of the provisions of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Act, 1949, which are necessary to enable the operation as from that date of legal aid in connection with civil actions (other than those of certain kinds excluded by the statute) in the Court of Session and the sheriff court.

(a) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 63.