



# March Dykes Act

1661 CHAPTER 284

Act for planting and incloseing of ground

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**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1 Short title “The March Dykes Act 1661” given by [Statute Law Revision \(Scotland\) Act 1964 \(c. 80\)](#), [Sch. 2](#)
- C2 This act is listed in 12mo edition as [1661 c.41](#)

Our soverane Lord . . . <sup>F1</sup> with consent and advice of his Estates of Parliament . . . <sup>F1</sup>  
Statuts and Ordaines that wher inclosours fall to be vpon the border of any persons  
inheritance the next adiacent heritor shall be at equall paines and charges in building  
ditching and planting that dyk which parteth their inheritance . . . <sup>F1</sup>

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1 Words repealed by [Statute Law Revision \(Scotland\) Act 1906 \(c. 38\)](#)

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/02/1991.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the March Dykes Act.