

Heritable Jurisdictions (Scotland) Act 1746

CHAPTER 43

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[1.]	All heretable jurisdictions, &c. in Scotland, the office of high constable
_	excepted, to cease from 25 March 1748.
2	The lands, rents and certain duties annexed to the heretable baillieries,
	&c. to remain.
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14	Proceedings of the courts, had before 25th March, confirmed.
	Proceedings, &c. after 24th June 1748, to be transmitted to the sheriffs courts. Registers of hornings, &c. to be transmitted to the register hous at Edinburgh.
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24	Jurisdictions of baronies, &c. reserved.
25	Letters patent, &c. for uniting or erecting lands into baronies to grant jurisdictions only for the recovery of rents and duties, &c. Grants contrary to this Act null.
26	Jurisdictions vested in royal boroughs reserved.
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27	Cumulative jurisdictions vested in burghs of regality, &c. reserved. Exception.
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43	Sheriffs fines abolished. Judges fines to be paid into the Exchequer.
	Rules to be observed in levying, &c. Sentence money abolished.
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Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Heritable Jurisdictions (Scotland) Act 1746.