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Actions for separation

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- 9 Abolition of oath of calumny
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- 11 Curator *ad litem* to be appointed in certain cases
- 12 Amendments, repeals and transitional provisions
- 13 Interpretation
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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1 — Enactments Amended

- 1 In section 16(2)(b)(i) of the Maintenance Orders Act 1950, for...
- 2 In section 33(2) of the Succession (Scotland) Act 1964 there...
- 3 In section 8(1) of the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland)...
- 4 In section 11(4) of the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland)...
- 5 In Schedule 2 to the Domicile and Matrimonial Proceedings Act...

SCHEDULE 2 — Enactments Repealed