



Civil Partnership Act 2004

2004 CHAPTER 33

An Act to make provision for and in connection with civil partnership. [18th November 2004]

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Act power to apply (with modifications) conferred (S.) (1.9.2014) by [Marriage and Civil Partnership \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(asp 5\)](#), **ss. 30(5)(b)**, 36; S.S.I. 2014/212, art. 2, sch. (as amended (1.9.2014) by S.S.I. 2014/218, art. 2(3), sch.)
- C2** Act: power to amend conferred (E.W.) (26.5.2019) by [Civil Partnerships, Marriages and Deaths \(Registration etc\) Act 2019 \(c. 12\)](#), **s. 2(1)** (with s. 2(2))
- C3** Act modified (N.I.) (7.12.2020) by [The Marriage and Civil Partnership \(Northern Ireland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1143\)](#), **reg. 15(2)**
- C4** Act: power to modify conferred (1.6.2021) by [Civil Partnership \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(asp 15\)](#), **ss. 4(2)(c)**, 16; S.S.I. 2021/23, reg. 2, sch. (with reg. 3)

Changes to legislation:

Civil Partnership Act 2004, Introductory Text is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 18 March 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 102(8A) inserted by [2023 asp 3 s. 56\(2\)](#)
- s. 103(10) inserted by [2023 asp 3 s. 56\(5\)](#)
- s. 108(5) inserted by [2023 asp 3 s. 56\(8\)](#)
- s. 213(1A) inserted by [2013 c. 30 Sch. 2 para. 5\(2\)](#)