



Marriage Act 1949

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PART I

RESTRICTIONS ON MARRIAGE

2 Marriages of persons under [^{F1}eighteen].

A marriage solemnized between persons either of whom is under the age of [^{F2}eighteen] shall be void.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Word in s. 2 heading substituted (27.2.2023) by [Marriage and Civil Partnership \(Minimum Age\) Act 2022 \(c. 28\), ss. 1\(2\)\(a\), 7\(1\)](#) (with s. 8); S.I. 2023/88, reg. 2 (with regs. 3-17)
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Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Marriage Act 1949, Section 2.