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# Welfare Reform (Further Provision) (Scotland) Bill

[AS INTRODUCED]

An Act of the Scottish Parliament to enable the Scottish Ministers to make provision by regulations in consequence of the Welfare Reform Act 2012 (in respect of matters other than reserved matters).

*Powers*

- 5     **1     Universal credit: further provision**
- (1) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make such provision as they consider appropriate in consequence of any provision of—
- 10         (a) Part 1 (universal credit) of the UK Act,
- (b) regulations made by the Secretary of State under that Part,
- (c) an order made under section 41(5)(a) of that Act.
- (2) Regulations under this section may modify any enactment (whenever passed or made).
- (3) Regulations under this section—
- 15         (a) are subject to the affirmative procedure if they add to, replace or omit any part of the text of an Act,
- (b) otherwise, are subject to the negative procedure.
- 2     Personal independence payment: further provision**
- (1) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make such provision as they consider appropriate in consequence of any provision of—
- 20         (a) Part 4 (personal independence payment) of the UK Act,
- (b) regulations made by the Secretary of State under that Part.
- (2) Regulations under this section may modify any enactment (whenever passed or made).
- (3) Regulations under this section—
- 25         (a) are subject to the affirmative procedure if they add to, replace or omit any part of the text of an Act,
- (b) otherwise, are subject to the negative procedure.

**3 Regulations under this Act: ancillary provision**

- (1) This section applies to any regulations under section 1 or 2.
- (2) The regulations may—
- 5 (a) make provision in direct or indirect consequence of a relevant portion of the UK Act or of a relevant instrument made under it,
- (b) contain provision not by itself in consequence of a relevant portion of that Act or of such an instrument, if the provision concerns any matter arising in direct or indirect consequence of the relevant portion (including previously so arising).
- (3) The regulations may—
- 10 (a) make different provision for different cases or purposes,
- (b) include supplemental, incidental, consequential, transitional, transitory or saving provision.

*General***4 References to the UK Act**

15 In this Act, “the UK Act” means the Welfare Reform Act 2012.

**5 Commencement**

This Act comes into force on the day after Royal Assent.

**6 Short title**

20 The short title of this Act is the Welfare Reform (Further Provision) (Scotland) Act 2012.



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