



Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Act 2024

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PART 2

SUCCESSION

Rights of succession to intestate estate

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(1) In section 2(1) of the Succession (Scotland) Act 1964 (rights of succession to intestate estate)—

(a) after paragraph (a) insert—

“(ab) where an intestate is survived by a husband, wife or civil partner, but is not survived by any prior relative, the surviving spouse or civil partner shall have right to the whole of the intestate estate;”

(b) paragraph (e) is repealed.

(2) This section does not apply as respects a death that occurred before the section comes into force.

Commencement Information

II S. 77 in force at 30.4.2024, see s. 88(2)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Act 2024, Section 77.