

## ELIZABETH II



Tourism  
(Overseas Promotion)  
(Scotland) Act 1984

1984 CHAPTER 4

An Act to enable the Scottish Tourist Board to carry on  
abroad activities to promote tourism to and within  
Scotland. [13th March 1984]

**B**E 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:—

1.—(1) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (3) of section 2 of the Development of Tourism Act 1969, the powers of the Scottish Tourist Board under the other provisions of section 2 of that Act shall include the power to carry on any activities outside the United Kingdom for the purpose of encouraging people to visit Scotland.

(2) The Scottish Tourist Board shall exercise the power referred to in subsection (1) above to carry on activities outside the United Kingdom only with the consent (which may be given from time to time with or without conditions) of the Secretary of State who shall, before giving or withholding such consent, consult the British Tourist Authority.

Power of the  
Scottish  
Tourist Board  
to engage  
outside the  
UK in the  
promotion of  
tourism in  
Scotland.

1969 c. 51.

(3) Nothing in this section shall—

- (a) affect the power of the British Tourist Authority to carry on any activities outside the United Kingdom for the purpose of encouraging people to visit Scotland; or
- (b) prevent the Scottish Tourist Board from acting on behalf of the Authority as mentioned in section 2(3) of the Development of Tourism Act 1969.

1969 c. 51.

**Finance.**

2. There shall be paid out of moneys provided by Parliament any increase attributable to this Act in the sums so payable under the provisions of the Development of Tourism Act 1969.

**Short title and commencement.**

3. This Act may be cited as the Tourism (Overseas Promotion) (Scotland) Act 1984 and shall come into force at the end of the period of two months beginning with the day on which it is passed.

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