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Succession Act, 1925

Section 167 - NON--LIABILITY OF EXECUTOR TO EXONERATE SPECIFIC LEGATEES

1) Where property specifically bequeathed is subject at the death of the testator to any pledge, lien or incumbrance created by the testator himself or by any person under whom he claims, then, unless a contrary intention appears by the will, the legatee, if he accepts the bequest, shall accept it subject to such pledge or incumbrance, and shall (as between himself and the testator's estate), be liable to make good the amount of such pledge or incumbrance. (2) A contrary intention shall not be inferred from any direction which the will may contain for the payment of the testator's debts generally.