



# Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2003

## 2003 asp 7

### PART 2

#### VICTIMS' RIGHTS

#### [<sup>F1</sup>17C Making representations under section 17B

- (1) Representations under section 17B—
  - (a) may be made orally in relation to a decision of a type described in section 17B(5)(b),
  - (b) otherwise, must be made in writing.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers are to issue guidance as to how—
  - (a) written representations under section 17B should be framed, and
  - (b) oral representations under that section should be made.]

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 17B-17D inserted (15.9.2017 for specified purposes, 30.9.2017 in so far as not already in force) by [Mental Health \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(asp 9\)](#), ss. [56\(2\)](#), [61\(2\)](#); S.S.I. 2017/234, art. [2\(1\)\(c\)\(2\)\(a\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2003, Section 17C is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 06 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- specified provision(s) and purposes Appointed Day(s) by [S.S.I. 2003/439 art. 23Sch.](#) (Effect not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). This S.S.I. is revoked (1.10.2003) by S.S.I. 2003/475, art. 4)

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 16D inserted by [2023 asp 4 s. 14\(3\)](#)
- s. 16ZA inserted by [2023 asp 4 s. 14\(2\)](#)
- s. 17E(6) inserted by [2023 asp 4 s. 14\(7\)\(d\)](#)
- s. 17DA inserted by [2023 asp 4 s. 14\(6\)](#)
- s. 17ZA inserted by [2023 asp 4 s. 14\(4\)](#)
- s. 18A(5) inserted by [2023 asp 4 s. 14\(8\)\(b\)](#)