



Victims and Witnesses (Scotland) Act 2014

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Standards of service

3 Reports

- (1) This section applies where a person publishes standards under section 2(1).
- (2) The person must prepare and publish a report in relation to the matters mentioned in subsection (3)—
 - (a) before the end of the period of 12 months beginning with the day on which standards are first published under section 2(1), and
 - (b) as soon as practicable following—
 - (i) the expiry of the period of 12 months beginning with the day on which a report is published under paragraph (a), and
 - (ii) each subsequent period of a year.
- (3) The matters are—
 - (a) an assessment of how, and the extent to which, the standards have been met during the period of the report,
 - (b) an explanation of how the person intends to meet the standards during the year after the period of the report,
 - (c) a description of any modification of the standards made during the period of the report, and
 - (d) a description of any modification of the standards that the person proposes to make during the year after the period of the report.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations prescribe information (in addition to that required under subsection (3)) that reports prepared under subsection (2) must contain.
- (5) Regulations under subsection (4) are subject to the negative procedure.

Commencement Information

II S. 3 in force at 30.1.2015 by [S.S.I. 2014/359](#), art. 2, [Sch.](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Victims and Witnesses (Scotland) Act 2014, Section 3.