



Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014

2014 asp 18

PART 2

THE SHERIFF APPEAL COURT

CHAPTER 1

ESTABLISHMENT AND ROLE

47 Jurisdiction and competence

- (1) The Sheriff Appeal Court has jurisdiction and competence to hear and determine appeals to such extent as is provided by or under—
 - (a) this Act, or
 - (b) any other enactment.
- (2) The Court's jurisdiction and competence is exercisable by one or more of the Appeal Sheriffs at sittings of the Court.
- (3) The Court has all such powers as are, under the law of Scotland, inherently possessed by a court of law for the purposes of the discharge of its jurisdiction and competence and giving full effect to its decisions.
- (4) Subsection (3) is subject to any other provision of this Act or any other enactment that restricts or excludes any power of the Court in determining or disposing of an appeal.

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 47 in force at 22.9.2015 for specified purposes by [S.S.I. 2015/247](#), [art. 2](#), [Sch.](#)
- I2** S. 47 in force at 1.1.2016 in so far as not already in force by [S.S.I. 2015/378](#), [art. 2](#), [Sch.](#)

Changes to legislation:

Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, Section 47 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 26 May 2023. 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 the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

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

- sch. 1 para. 5A and cross-heading inserted by [2020 asp 9 s. 9](#)
- sch. 1 para. 2(g)(h) inserted by [2021 asp 16 s. 15\(8\)](#)