



# Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014

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### PART 1

#### SHERIFF COURTS

#### CHAPTER 2

#### JUDICIARY OF THE SHERIFFDOMS

##### *Cessation of appointment*

#### **20 Cessation of appointment of judicial officers**

- (1) A judicial officer mentioned in subsection (3) may resign at any time by giving notice to that effect to the Scottish Ministers.
- (2) An individual's appointment as such a judicial officer ends—
  - (a) when the individual resigns in accordance with subsection (1),
  - (b) when the individual retires from office,
  - (c) if the individual is removed from office as such under section 25, or
  - (d) if the individual is appointed as another such judicial officer.
- (3) The judicial officers are—
  - (a) a sheriff principal,
  - (b) a sheriff,
  - (c) a summary sheriff,
  - (d) a part-time sheriff,
  - (e) a part-time summary sheriff.