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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 5

PROVISIONS AS TO APPEALS UNDER S. 44 OF THIS ACT

[F1 PART III

APPEALS IN SCOTLAND

Textual Amendments

F1 Sch. 5 Pt. III inserted (1.7.1997) by 1997 c. 5, **s. 41(2)**; S.I. 1997/1535, art. 3(b), **Sch. Pt. I**

1 An appeal to the sheriff shall be by way of summary application.

2 An application shall be made within 21 days after the date on which the appellant has received notice of the decision of the chief officer of police in respect of which the appeal is made.

3 On the hearing of the appeal the sheriff may either dismiss the appeal or give the chief officer of police such directions as he thinks fit as respects the certificate or register which is the subject of the appeal.

4 The decision of the sheriff on an appeal may be appealed only on a point of law.**]**

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

- Act amended by 1997 c. 5 s. 12(2) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. S. 12 was repealed (17.12.1997) by 1997 c. 64, s. 2(7), Sch.; S.I. 1997/3114, art. 3, Sch. Pt. I)
- Blanket amendment words substituted by S.I. 2011/1043 art. 34

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

- s. 3A inserted by 2023 c. 49 s. 2
- s. 11(3A)-(4A) substituted for s. 11(4) by 2023 c. 49 s. 1(2)
- s. 51(2A) added by 1997 c. 48 s. 62(1)Sch. 1 para. 3