DRAFT SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2011 No.

The Tenancy Deposit Schemes (Scotland) Regulations 2011

PART 8

Performance reporting

Duty to provide annual report to the Scottish Ministers

- **45.**—(1) By 15th May following the end of each financial year, the scheme administrator must send to the Scottish Ministers a report of the operation of the approved scheme and of the performance of the scheme administrator during that financial year.
 - (2) The report must include the following information—
 - (a) the number of tenancy deposits paid to the scheme;
 - (b) the total value of tenancy deposits held in designated accounts at the end of the financial year in question;
 - (c) the total value of tenancy deposits repaid to tenants;
 - (d) a statement of the financial position of the scheme, including a set of independently audited accounts and a breakdown of income and expenditure during the financial year assessed against the projected income and expenditure for that year;
 - (e) a statement of how accrued interest has been distributed, applied or invested during the financial year;
 - (f) a forecast budget for the following financial year;
 - (g) details of all referrals to the dispute resolution mechanism including—
 - (i) the number of referrals requested by landlords;
 - (ii) the number of referrals requested by tenants;
 - (iii) the basis of the dispute;
 - (iv) the time taken to resolve the dispute;
 - (v) the outcome of the referral; and
 - (vi) the time taken to repay the deposit in accordance with the decision;
 - (h) details of any complaints received about the scheme including any relating to the dispute resolution mechanism.