#### DRAFT SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2013 No.

# The Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act 2011 (Rules of Procedure in Children's Hearings) Rules 2013

#### PART 4

### General Duties of the Reporter

#### Record keeping duties of the Reporter in relation to children's hearings

- **13.**—(1) The Reporter must keep a record of the proceedings at each children's hearing and prehearing panel held by virtue of the Act or any other enactment.
- (2) The record to be kept by the Reporter must include the information mentioned in paragraph (3) and such other information about the proceedings as the Reporter considers appropriate.
  - (3) That information is—
    - (a) the particulars of the place and date of the children's hearing or pre-hearing panel;
    - (b) the full name and address, date of birth and sex of the child in relation to whom the children's hearing or pre-hearing panel is held;
    - (c) the full name and address of each relevant person;
    - (d) which of the persons mentioned in sub-paragraphs (b) and (c) attended the children's hearing or pre-hearing panel;
    - (e) the full name and address of any representative attending the children's hearing or prehearing panel;
    - (f) the full name and address of any safeguarder attending the children's hearing or prehearing panel;
    - (g) the details of any other person attending the children's hearing or pre-hearing panel;
    - (h) the details of any decision or determination made by the children's hearing or pre-hearing panel or any other course of action taken by the children's hearing or pre-hearing panel;
    - (i) where the children's hearing to which the record relates is a grounds hearing—
      - (i) the details of any section 67 ground which is accepted, or not accepted, or is not understood and by whom;
      - (ii) the detail of any direction given by the grounds hearing under section 93(2)(a) (grounds not accepted: application to sheriff or discharge) or 94(2)(a) (child or relevant person unable to understand grounds) of the Act to the Reporter to make an application to the sheriff.