#### SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# The Adoptions with a Foreign Element (Scotland) Regulations 2009

#### PART 3

## ADOPTIONS UNDER THE CONVENTION CHAPTER 1

# PROCEDURE IN SCOTLAND WHERE THE UNITED KINGDOM IS THE RECEIVING STATE

#### **Provision of information**

- 13.—(1) Where an application is made under regulation 11, the adoption agency must-
  - (a) explain to the prospective adopters the procedure in relation to, and the legal implications of, adopting a child from the State of origin from which the prospective adopters wish to adopt in accordance with the Convention; and
  - (b) provide the prospective adopters with written information about the matters referred to in sub-paragraph (a).
- (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply if the adoption agency is satisfied that the requirements in that paragraph have been met in respect of the prospective adopters by another adoption agency.