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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2016 No. 243**

**Act of Sederunt (Lay Representation  
for Non-Natural Persons) 2016**

**Lay representatives: functions, conditions and duties**

4.—(1) A lay representative may be shown any document (including a court document) or receive any information about the proceedings without the non-natural person, or any of its office holders or employees, contravening any prohibition or restriction on disclosure of the document or information.

(2) Where a document or information is disclosed under subparagraph (1), the lay representative is subject to any prohibition or restriction on disclosure in the same way that the non-natural person is.

(3) The court, of its own accord or on the motion of a party, may impose conditions on the exercise of functions by a lay representative, where it is necessary to do so in the interests of justice.