



# Public Records (Scotland) Act 1937

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## PART I

### COURT RECORDS

#### [<sup>F1</sup>2A JP court records

[<sup>F2</sup>(1) A sheriff principal may, with the agreement of the Keeper, transmit any of the JP court records of the sheriff principal's sheriffdom to the Keeper.]

<sup>F3</sup>( 2 ) . . . . .

(3) Where any record transmitted to the Keeper under subsection (1) above is required for the purpose of proceedings in the High Court of Justiciary, the Court of Session, [<sup>F4</sup>the Sheriff Appeal Court,] or any sheriff court or JP court, the Keeper shall re-transmit the record to the clerk of the relevant court on an order of a judge of the High Court or Court of Session[<sup>F5</sup>, of an Appeal Sheriff], of an Appeal Sheriff or of the sheriff or judge of a JP court (as the case may be), and a record so re-transmitted shall be returned by the clerk to the Keeper as soon as may be after it has ceased to be required for the purpose.

<sup>F6</sup>( 4 )] . . . . .

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 2A inserted (S.) (10.3.2008) by [Criminal Proceedings etc. \(Reform\) \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(asp 6\)](#), ss. 80, 84, [Sch. para. 2\(1\)](#); S.S.I. 2008/42, [art. 3](#), Sch.
- F2** S. 2A(1) substituted (1.1.2013) by [Public Records \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(asp 12\)](#), [ss. 15\(4\)\(a\)](#), 16(1); S.S.I. 2012/247, [art. 2](#)
- F3** S. 2A(2) repealed (1.1.2013) by [Public Records \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(asp 12\)](#), [ss. 15\(4\)\(b\)](#), 16(1); S.S.I. 2012/247, [art. 2](#)
- F4** Words in s. 2A(3) inserted (1.4.2015) by [Courts Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(asp 18\)](#), s. 138(2), [sch. 5 para. 11\(4\)\(a\)](#); S.S.I. 2015/77, [art. 2\(2\)\(3\)](#), sch.
- F5** Words in s. 2A(3) inserted (1.4.2015) by [Courts Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(asp 18\)](#), s. 138(2), [sch. 5 para. 11\(4\)\(b\)](#); S.S.I. 2015/77, [art. 2\(2\)\(3\)](#), sch.

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**F6** S. 2A(4) repealed (1.1.2013) by Public Records (Scotland) Act 2011 (asp 12), **ss. 14(a)**, 16(1); S.S.I.  
2012/247, art. 2

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