

# Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act 2011

#### **PART 17**

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PART 10: EVIDENCE

# 172 Use of evidence obtained from prosecutor

- (1) This section applies where an application is made to the sheriff—
  - (a) to determine whether a section 67 ground is established, or
  - (b) to review a grounds determination.
- (2) The Principal Reporter may request a prosecutor to give the Principal Reporter evidence held by the prosecutor in connection with the investigation of a crime or suspected crime if the Principal Reporter considers that the evidence might assist the sheriff in determining the application.
- (3) The request may relate only to evidence lawfully obtained in the course of the investigation.
- (4) The prosecutor may refuse to comply with the request if the prosecutor reasonably believes that it is necessary to retain the evidence for the purposes of any proceedings in respect of a crime (whether or not the proceedings have already commenced).

#### **Commencement Information**

II S. 172 in force at 24.6.2013 by S.S.I. 2013/195, arts. 2, 3

### **Status:**

Point in time view as at 24/06/2013.

## **Changes to legislation:**

Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act 2011, Section 172 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 02 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.