

Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act 2011

PART 8

PRE-HEARING PANEL

80 Determination of matter referred under section 79

- (1) This section applies where the Principal Reporter refers a matter to a pre-hearing panel under section 79(2).
- (2) The Principal Reporter must arrange a meeting of the pre-hearing panel for a date before the date fixed for the children's hearing.
- (3) If it is not practicable for the Principal Reporter to comply with subsection (2), the children's hearing must determine the matter referred at the beginning of the children's hearing.