#### DRAFT SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2020 No.

# The Energy Efficiency (Domestic Private Rented Property) (Scotland) Regulations 2020

### PART 6

## Appeals and recovery of financial penalties

#### Recovery of financial penalty

- **24.**—(1) The amount of an unpaid financial penalty is recoverable from L as a debt owed to the enforcement authority unless the notice has been withdrawn or quashed.
  - (2) Proceedings for the recovery of the financial penalty may not be commenced—
    - (a) before the expiry of the period for requesting a review specified in the penalty notice by virtue of regulation 18(2)(h)(ii),
    - (b) where a review has been requested under regulation 21(1), before the enforcement authority has served notice of its decision under regulation 21(2)(c), and
    - (c) where the enforcement authority has served notice of its decision under regulation 21(2) (c) confirming the penalty notice, before the expiry of the period within which L may appeal under regulation 22.
  - (3) In proceedings for the recovery of a financial penalty, a certificate which—
    - (a) purports to be signed by or on behalf of the person having responsibility for the financial affairs of the enforcement authority, and
    - (b) states that payment of the financial penalty was or was not received by a date specified in the certificate,

is evidence of the facts stated.