
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 63

The Police Appeals Tribunals (Scotland) Rules 2013

Failure of parties to attend hearing

14.—(1) If a party fails to attend or be represented at a hearing of which the party has been duly notified in terms of rule 9, the tribunal may—

- (a) unless it is satisfied that there is sufficient reason for such absence, hear and determine the appeal in the party's absence; or
- (b) adjourn the hearing.

(2) Before deciding to dispose of the appeal in the absence of a party, the tribunal must consider the party's statement of case and any other documents submitted by that party in relation to the appeal.