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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2014 No. 371**

**COURT OF SESSION  
SHERIFF COURT**

**Act of Sederunt (Rules of the Court of Session  
and Sheriff Court Rules Amendment No. 3)  
(Mutual Recognition of Protection Measures) 2014**

*Made* - - - - *17th December 2014*  
*Laid before the Scottish*  
*Parliament* - - - - *19th December 2014*  
*Coming into force* - - *11th January 2015*

The Lords of Council and Session, under and by virtue of the powers conferred by section 32 of the Sheriff Courts (Scotland) Act 1971(1), section 5 of the Court of Session Act 1988(2), sections 2(1) and 3(1) of the Protection from Abuse (Scotland) Act 2001(3), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, having approved with such modifications as they think appropriate draft rules submitted by the Scottish Civil Justice Council in accordance with section 4 of the Scottish Civil Justice Council and Criminal Legal Assistance Act 2013(4), do hereby enact and declare:

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- (1) [1971 c.58](#). Section 32 was amended by the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Act [1985 \(c.73\)](#), Schedule 2, paragraph 12; the Civil Evidence (Scotland) Act [1988 \(c.32\)](#), section 2(4); the Children (Scotland) Act [1995 \(c.36\)](#), Schedule 4, paragraph 18(2); the Adults with Incapacity (Scotland) Act [2000 \(asp 4\)](#), schedule 5, paragraph 13; the Debt Arrangement and Attachment (Scotland) Act [2002 \(asp 17\)](#), section 43; the Vulnerable Witnesses (Scotland) Act [2004 \(asp 3\)](#), section 14(2); the Consumer Credit Act [2006 \(c.14\)](#), section 16(4); the Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Act [2007 \(asp 3\)](#), section 33 and Schedule 5, paragraph 10 (in part); the Legal Services (Scotland) Act [2010 \(asp 16\)](#), section 127(a); the Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act [2011 \(asp 1\)](#), section 185; and the Scottish Civil Justice Council and Criminal Legal Assistance Act [2013 \(asp 3\)](#), section 15(2).
- (2) [1988 c.36](#). Section 5 was amended by the Civil Evidence (Scotland) Act [1988 \(c.32\)](#), section 2(3); the Children (Scotland) Act [1995 \(c.36\)](#), Schedule 4, paragraph 45; the Vulnerable Witnesses (Scotland) Act [2004 \(asp 3\)](#), section 14(1); the Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act [2008 \(asp 6\)](#), section 46(3); and the Legal Services (Scotland) Act [2010 \(asp 16\)](#), section 126(a).
- (3) [2001 asp 14](#). Section 3(1) was amended by the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act [2012 \(asp 8\)](#), schedule 7, paragraph 18. Section 7 contains a definition of "prescribed" relevant to the exercise of the statutory powers under which this Act of Sederunt is made.
- (4) [2013 asp 3](#).