SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Court Bankruptcy Rules) 2016

CHAPTER 4

REPRESENTATION AND SUPPORT

Representation and support

- **4.1.**—(1) A natural person who is a party to proceedings may appear and act on the party's own behalf.
 - (2) A party who appears and acts on the party's own behalf is to be known as a party litigant.
 - (3) A party may be represented in any proceedings by—
 - (a) a legal representative (see rule 4.2); or
 - (b) an authorised person (see rule 4.3).
 - (4) A party who is a natural person may also be represented by a lay representative (see rule 4.4).
 - (5) A lay supporter (see rule 4.6) may assist a party litigant with the conduct of any proceedings.