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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1999 No. 737**

**The Scottish Parliament (Letters  
Patent and Proclamations) Order 1999**

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Scottish Parliament (Letters Patent and Proclamations) Order 1999 and shall come into force on 6th May 1999.

(2) In this Order—

“the 1998 Act” means the Scotland Act 1998;

“Letters Patent” means Letters Patent signed with Her Majesty’s own hand signifying Her Assent to a Bill passed by the Scottish Parliament; and

“proclamations” means royal proclamations under sections 2(5) and 3(2) of the 1998 Act.