

MEETING OF THE SCOTTISH CIVIL JUSTICE COUNCIL
ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMITTEE
MONDAY 29 AUGUST 2016 AT 3.00 PM
JUDGES CONFERENCE ROOM, LEVEL +2 PARLIAMENT HOUSE
AGENDA

1. Welcome, apologies and agreement of private papers

1.1. Private papers: **(Papers 2.2, 5.1, 5.1A-H, 5.2, 5.2A, 6.1, 6.1A, 6.2, 6.2A-B, 6.3)**

1.2. Appointments

2. Previous meeting

2.1. Minutes of previous meeting **(Paper 2.1)**

2.2. Progress of actions from previous meetings **(Paper 2.2)**

3. Proceedings

3.1 Committee remit **(Oral)**

4. Work programme

4.1. Update from the Scottish Government on legislative developments **(Oral)**

4.2. Update from Scottish Legal Aid Board on in court advice projects developed under *Making Justice Work Project 3* **(Oral)**

4.3. Report from Denise Swanson on seminar regarding *Research into Participant Perspectives of Dispute Resolution in the Scottish Courts* developed under *Making Justice Work Project 3* **(Oral)**

4.4. Update from the Rules Rewrite Drafting Team **(Oral)**

5. Research and consultations

5.1 Lay representation and lay support

5.1.1 Presentation by Halle Turner, Party Litigant Researcher

5.1.2 Overview of rules and guidance **(Papers 5.1 and 5.1A-H)**

5.2 Scottish Government consultation on court fees **(Papers 5.2 and 5.2A)**

6. Justice system reform: Rules rewrite

6.1. Simple Procedure

6.1.1 Consideration of simple procedure transitional instrument (**Paper 6.1 and 6.1A**)

6.1.2 Consideration of correspondence regarding simple procedure rules (**Papers 6.2 and 6.2A-B**)

6.2. Simple Procedure (Special Claims)

6.2.1 Implementation timetable and consultation plans (**Paper 6.3**)

7. A.O.C.B.

8. Dates of future meetings

- Monday 17 October 2016 at 3 pm
- Monday 12 December 2016 at 3 pm