

## SHERIFFDOM OF LOTHIAN AND BORDERS DIRECTION NO 1 OF 2015

## SHERIFF PERSONAL INJURY COURT

## The All Scotland (Sheriff Personal Injury) Court Signature of Interlocutors

I MHAIRI MARGARET STEPHEN QC, Sheriff Principal of Lothian and Borders by virtue of the power conferred upon me by Rule 12.1 of the Ordinary Cause Rules 1993 hereby direct that, with effect from Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2015, the sheriff clerks who are responsible for processing motions by e-mail in the All Scotland (Sheriff Personal Injury) Court, may write and sign interlocutors, as per the approved list attached hereto.

In terms of Rule 12.1 (a) any interlocutor written and signed by the sheriff clerk shall be treated for all purposes as if it had been written and signed by the Sheriff; and in terms of Rule 12.1 (b) any extract of such an interlocutor shall not be invalid by reason only of its being written and signed by a sheriff clerk.

I APPOINT this direction to be inserted in the Act Book of Edinburgh Sheriff Court, in the Sheriffdom of Lothian and Borders for publication to the lieges.

Mhairi M. Skyken

Sheriff Principal Mhairi M Stephen QC Sheriff Principal of Lothian and Borders Edinburgh, 22 September 2015 Motion for late receipt of notice of intention to defend;

Motion for late receipt of defences;

Motion to appoint cause to further procedure in terms of RoC 36.G1 (5);

Motion for specification of documents;

Motion to allow a minute of amendment to be received and allow a specified period for answers:

Motion to allow a minute of amendment to be received and allow specified periods for answers and adjustment and to appoint a hearing under rule 18.3;

Motion to authorise service of a third party notice;

Motion to open a confidential envelope;

Automatic interlocutor assigning a hearing following failure to lodge documents as required by rules of court;

Automatic interlocutor appointing parties to lodge a joint minute within 28 days;

Automatic interlocutor assigning a hearing following failure to lodge joint minute;

Automatic interlocutor assigning peremptory diet following notification of withdrawal of agents.