

**Response by the Forum of Scottish Claims Managers  
to  
Proposals for Procedural Rules for Personal Injury Actions in the Sheriff Court**

- Q1a Yes  
Q1b The new rules for personal injury actions in the Court of Session have worked well. It makes sense to have a uniform procedure for such cases throughout the court system.
- Q2a No  
Q2b The requirement to have pre-trial meetings (which are expensive) renders the proposed new rules for personal injury actions unsuitable for low value claims in the sheriff court.
- Q3a No  
Q3b See 2b, *supra*.
- Q4a No  
Q4b Under reference to the proposed XX.1(4), the Court of Session Rules Council's decision to dispense with pleas in law was, with great respect, a mistake. The result has been to deprive parties, and indeed the court, of a tried and tested means of establishing at a glance what the issues in the case are.
- Q5a Yes  
Q5b N/A
- Q6a Yes  
Q6b N/A
- Q7a Yes  
Q7b N/A
- Q8a Yes  
Q8b N/A
- Q8c No comment
- Q9a Yes  
Q9b N/A
- Q10a Yes  
Q10b N/A
- Q10c No comment
- Q11a Yes  
Q11b N/A
- Q12a Yes  
Q12b N/A
- Q12c No comment
- Q13a Yes  
Q13b N/A
- Q13c No comment
- Q14a Yes  
Q14b N/A
- Q14c No comment
- Q15a Yes  
Q15b N/A
- Q16a Yes  
Q16b N/A
- Q16c No comment
- Q17a Yes  
Q17b N/A
- Q18a Yes  
Q18b N/A
- Q19a Yes  
Q19b N/A
- Q20a Yes  
Q20b N/A
- Q21a Yes  
Q21b N/A
- Q22a Yes  
Q22b N/A
- Q23 No additional comments