

Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001

PART 1

THE COMMISSION AND CARE SERVICES

Proposals and applications in relation to registered care services

18 Urgent procedures for cancellation of registration etc.

- (1) The Commission may make summary application to the sheriff for an order—
 - (a) cancelling the registration under this Part of a care service;
 - (b) varying or removing any condition for the time being in force in relation to the registration; or
 - (c) imposing an additional condition in relation to the registration,
 - and if it appears to the sheriff that, unless the order is made, there will be a serious risk to some other person's life, health or well-being the application may be granted.
- (2) As soon as practicable after the Commission makes an application under subsection (1) above, it shall so notify the appropriate authorities.
- (3) Where the order applied for is made, the Commission shall as soon as practicable thereafter give a copy of it to the person who provides the care service.
- (4) For the purposes of this section the appropriate authorities are—
 - (a) each—
 - (i) local authority; and
 - (ii) health board,
 - within whose area the care service is provided; and
 - (b) any statutory authority not mentioned in paragraph (a) above whom the Commission thinks it appropriate to notify.
- (5) In subsection (4)(b) above, "statutory authority" means a body established by or under an enactment.