

MEETING OF THE SCOTTISH CIVIL JUSTICE COUNCIL

FRIDAY 8 AUGUST 2025, 10:30AM

JUDGES' CONFERENCE ROOM, PARLIAMENT HOUSE

Tea, coffee & refreshments served from 10am

1. WELCOME

1.1 Welcome, introduction & apologies

2. ARTICLE 8 OF THE AARHUS CONVENTION

2.1 Next Steps: When promoting public participation (*Paper 2.1 & 2.1A*)

2.2 Public Consultation: on extending access to PEOs (*Paper 2.2 & 2.2A-E*)

2.3 Research: on the incidence of interveners (*Paper 2.3 & 2.3A*)

2.4 Having 'due regard' for the environmental principles (*Paper 2.4 & 2.4A*)

2.5 (*Withdrawn*)

3. GOVERNANCE

3.1 The 'consultation process' used by the SCJC (*Paper 3.1 & 3.1A*)

4. AOB

5. Dates of next meetings

- Monday 20 October 2025
- Monday 08 December 2025