

Form of intimation to the Lord Advocate that the court is considering making an order suspending the effect of a strike down declarator

To: Lord Advocate
25 Chambers Street
Edinburgh

1. You are given notice that in an action raised in the Court of Session, the court has decided that words in a pre-commencement Act of the Scottish Parliament to which section 29 of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Act 2024 applies [*or* words in subordinate legislation made by virtue of a pre-commencement Act of the Scottish Parliament to which section 30 of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Act 2024 applies] give rise to an incompatibility with the UNCRC requirements, within the meaning of that Act. A copy of the relevant opinion [*or* interlocutor] is enclosed.
2. The court is considering whether to make an order suspending the effect of the decision for any period and on any conditions to allow the incompatibility to be remedied.
3. If you wish to take part as a party in the proceedings so far as they relate to the making of the order mentioned in paragraph 2 you must lodge with the Deputy Principal Clerk of Session, Court of Session, 2 Parliament Square, Edinburgh EH1 1RQ a notice in writing stating that you intend to take part as a party to the proceedings. The notice must be lodged within 7 days of (*date on which intimation was given*).

Date (*insert date*)

(*Signed*)

Deputy Principal Clerk of Session