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PART 1

CHARITIES

CHAPTER 7

SCOTTISH CHARITABLE INCORPORATED ORGANISATIONS

Nature and constitution

50 Constitution and powers

- (1) A SCIO's constitution must state its name and its purposes.
- (2) A SCIO's constitution must make provision-
 - (a) about who is eligible for membership, and how a person becomes a member, and
 - (b) for the appointment of 3 or more persons ("charity trustees") who are to be charged with the general control of the SCIO's administration, and about any conditions of eligibility for becoming a charity trustee.
- (3) A SCIO's constitution must also provide for such other matters, and comply with such requirements, as are specified in regulations made by the Scottish Ministers.
- (4) A SCIO must use and apply its property in furtherance of its purposes and in accordance with its constitution.
- (5) Subject to anything in its constitution, a SCIO has power to do anything which is calculated to further its purposes or is conducive or incidental to doing so.
- (6) For the purposes of managing the affairs of a SCIO, its charity trustees may exercise all the SCIO's powers.