



Certification of Death (Scotland) Act 2011

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Duty to report suspicions of criminality

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- (1) A medical reviewer (including the senior medical reviewer) must report any suspicion of criminality arising from the review of a medical certificate of cause of death (or a number of such reviews) to the procurator fiscal.
- (2) A medical reviewer (including the senior medical reviewer), having reported a suspicion under subsection (1), must follow the directions of the procurator fiscal as to the appropriate action to take.

Commencement Information

11 [S. 16](#) in force at 13.5.2015 by [S.S.I. 2015/115](#), [art. 3](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Certification of Death (Scotland) Act 2011, Cross Heading: Duty to report suspicions of criminality.