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# COURTS REFORM (SCOTLAND) ACT 2014

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### PARLIAMENTARY HISTORY

342. The following table sets out, for each Stage of the proceedings in the Scottish Parliament on the Bill for this Act, the dates on which the proceedings at that Stage took place, and the references to the official report of those proceedings. It also shows the dates on which Committee Reports and other papers relating to the 2016 Act were published, and references to those reports and other papers.

<i>Proceedings and Report</i>	<i>Reference</i>
<b>Introduction</b>	
Bill as Introduced, 7 February 2014	<a href="#">As introduced</a>
SPICe briefing on Bill as introduced, 13 March 2014	<a href="#">Spice</a>
<b>Stage 1</b>	
<b>Finance Committee</b>	
19 February 2014	<a href="#">Finance Committee 19 February 2014</a>
26 March 2014	<a href="#">26 March 2014 - Finance Committee</a>
<b>Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee</b>	
11 March 2014	<a href="#">Dplrc</a>
<b>Consideration by Parliament</b>	
Stage 1 debate, 21 May 2014	<a href="#">Stage 1 debate</a>
<b>Stage 2</b>	
Bill amended at	<a href="http://www.parliament.scot/S4_Bills/Courts%20Reform%20(Scotland)%20Bill/b46as4-stage2-amend.pdf">http://www.parliament.scot/S4_Bills/Courts%20Reform%20(Scotland)%20Bill/b46as4-stage2-amend.pdf</a>

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<b><i>Proceedings and Report</i></b>	<b><i>Reference</i></b>
stage 2, 19 June 2014	
<b>Finance Committee</b>	
26 March 2014	<a href="#">Finance Committee</a>
<b>Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee</b>	
20 May 2014	<a href="#">Official Report – 20 May 2014 - DPLRC</a>
<b>Stage 3</b>	
<b>Consideration by Parliament</b>	
Stage 3 Debate, 7 October 2014	<a href="#">Official Report - 7 October 2014</a>
Bill as passed, 8 October 2014	<a href="#">Bill as passed</a>
Royal Assent, 10 November 2014	<a href="#">The Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014</a>