#### SCHEDULE 1

# RULES FOR APPLICATIONS IN THE SHERIFF COURT UNDER THE DEBT ARRANGEMENT AND ATTACHMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

## CHAPTER 1

### **GENERAL**

## **Electronic transmission of documents**

- 6.—(1) Any document referred to in these Rules which requires to be-
  - (a) lodged with the sheriff clerk;
  - (b) intimated to a party; or
  - (c) sent by the sheriff clerk,

may be in electronic or documentary form, and if in electronic form may be lodged, intimated or sent by e-mail or similar means.

- (2) Paragraph (1), so far as it permits any document to be in electronic form, or if in electronic form to be lodged, intimated or sent by e-mail or similar means, does not apply to—
  - (a) a certificate of intimation of service;
  - (b) a citation;
  - (c) a decree or extract decree of the court;
  - (d) a report of an attachment;
  - (e) a report of an auction; or
  - (f) an attachment schedule.
- (3) Where any document is lodged by e-mail or similar means the sheriff may require any principal document to be lodged.
- (4) The time of lodgement, intimation or sending shall be the time when the document was sent or transmitted.