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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2008 No. 119**

**Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Court Bankruptcy Rules) 2008**

**Citation and commencement**

1.—(1) This Act of Sederunt may be cited as the Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Court Bankruptcy Rules) 2008 and shall come into force on 1st April 2008.

(2) This Act of Sederunt shall be inserted in the Books of Sederunt.

**Bankruptcy Rules**

2. The Schedule to this Act of Sederunt shall have the effect of providing rules in the sheriff court for the purpose of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act 1985.

**Revocation and saving**

3.—(1) The Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Court Bankruptcy Rules) 1996(1) is revoked.

(2) Notwithstanding sub-paragraph (1), the Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Court Bankruptcy Rules) 1996 shall continue to apply to sequestrations commenced before the coming into force of this Act of Sederunt.

(3) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (2), a sequestration shall be taken to have commenced when a petition has been presented or an application has been made to the Accountant in Bankruptcy under section 5(2)(a) or 6(3)(a), (4)(a) or (6)(a) of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act 1985.

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