SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2021 No. 468

Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Appeal Court Rules) 2021

PART 4

DISPOSAL OF AN APPEAL

CHAPTER 9

REFUSAL OF APPEAL DUE TO DELAY

Determination of application to refuse appeal due to delay

- **9.2.**—(1) The procedural Appeal Sheriff may refuse the appeal if the procedural Appeal Sheriff considers that—
 - (a) there has been an inordinate and inexcusable delay on the part of—
 - (i) any party;
 - (ii) any party's solicitor, lay representative or other agent; and
 - (b) such delay results in unfairness specific to the factual circumstances, including the procedural circumstances, of the appeal.
- (2) The procedural Appeal Sheriff must take into account the procedural consequences of allowing the appeal to proceed for—
 - (a) the parties to the appeal;
 - (b) the efficient disposal of business in the Court.

Commencement Information

II Para. 9.2 in force at 6.1.2022, see para. 1.1(2)

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Appeal Court Rules) 2021, Section 9.2.