### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2007 No. 937

The Scottish Parliament (Elections etc.) Order 2007

## **PART III**

## THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN

### Officials not to act for candidates

**68.**—(1) If-

- (a) any constituency returning officer or regional returning officer;
- (b) any officer, clerk or member of staff of any such officer, appointed under the Scottish Parliamentary Election Rules; or
- (c) any partner or clerk of any such person,

acts as an agent for a candidate or a registered party in the conduct or management of the election, he shall be guilty of an offence, but nothing in this article prevents a candidate from acting as his own election agent or a candidate on a registered party's regional list from acting as election agent for that registered party in relation to that list.

(2) A person guilty of an offence under this article shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale.