

**REGISTER OF COMMISSIONERS' INTERESTS
(AS AT MAY 2026)**

Name	Remuneration	Other Roles	Contracts	Election Expenses <i>[none of the Commissioners is elected to the Commission]</i>	Houses, Land and Buildings	Interest in Shares and Securities	Gifts and Hospitality	Non-financial interests	Close family members
Lord Sandison	Nil	Senator of the College of Justice	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil	Non-practising member of the Faculty of Advocates	Nil
Professor Gillian Black	Royalties from sales of academic publications, both directly from the publisher and via ALCS Texts for which I receive royalties from publishers are: Woolman and Black, <i>Woolman on Contract</i> Black (ed) <i>Business Law in Scotland</i>	Consultant at SKO Family Law Specialists (part-time, 22-24 days per year).	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil	Professor of Scots Private Law, University of Edinburgh (on leave to the Scottish Law Commission) Member of the Heraldry Society of Scotland and the Royal Celtic Society.	Nil

	<p><i>Black, Publicity Rights and Image: Exploitation and Legal Control</i></p> <p>Family Law Assessor for the Faculty of Advocates</p> <p>Provision of annual CPD training via Edinburgh Law Seminars</p> <p>Ad hoc provision of CPD/ academic updates to other organisations, including the Judicial Institute and SLAB</p> <p>Potential for ad hoc fees from consulting work as Carrick Pursuivant, including as a Supervising Officer for Clan Family Conventions</p> <p>Potential for ad hoc fees from consulting work as Academic Associate Member of Harcourt Chambers.</p> <p>Honorarium as Carrick Pursuivant</p>							<p>Council Member of the Stair Society</p> <p>Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland</p> <p>Trustee of the Lord Lyon Society, SC050846</p> <p>Trustee of the Edinburgh Law Review Trust, SC027403</p> <p>Panel member for Law Society of Scotland's accreditation panel for Family Creation Accreditation</p> <p>Advisory Group member for Professor Norrie's Independent Review of Scotland's Legislative Framework for Children's Care</p>	
Roisin Higgins KC	Nil	Tutor, Post-Graduate Diploma in	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil	Member, Faculty of Advocates	Nil

		Legal Practice, University of Edinburgh (36 hours <i>per annum</i>)						Member, Capital Committee, Dunard Centre, Edinburgh Member, Judging Panel, Scottish Legal Awards Member, Axiom Advocates Door Tenant, 8 New Square, Lincoln's Inn Member, Intellectual Property Law Accreditation Panel, Law Society of Scotland Member, Scottish Mediation" Member, Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution (CEDR) Associate Member, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators	
Professor Frankie McCarthy	Co-author (with Anne Griffiths and David	Nil	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil	Professor of Private Law,	Nil

	<p>Fotheringham) on <i>Family Law</i> (4th ed, 2015), royalties paid on sales</p> <p>Author of <i>Succession Law</i> (EUP Law Essentials series, 2013), royalties paid on sales</p>							<p>University of Glasgow (on leave to the Scottish Law Commission)</p> <p>Member, Society of Legal Scholars</p>	
Ann Stewart	<p>Lead author of <i>Conveyancing Practice in Scotland</i> (8th Edition, 2020); royalties paid on sales from publisher and ALCS.</p>	<p>Professional Support Lawyer at Shepherd and Wedderburn LLP (part-time 2½ days a week)</p>	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil	<p>Member, Law Society of Scotland;</p> <p>Member, LSS Property Law Committee;</p> <p>Member, LSS Property and Land Law Reform Committee;</p> <p>Member Property Standardisation Group.</p> <p>Currently a member of two Scottish Property Federation Working Groups – Real Estate and Building Regulation and Environmental, but planning on resigning from these.</p>	Nil