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Do you have any suitable law reform projects to suggest?

Consolidation and update of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995 and Act of Adjournal
Update of Sheriff Court Ordinary Rules

Do you have any project to suggest that would be suitable for the Commission Bill process in the Scottish Parliament; or, in relation to reserved matters, for the House of Lords procedure for Commission Bills?

Please provide us with information about the issues with the law that you have identified:

The above laws are used on a daily basis and are unnecessarily clumsy through years of ad hoc amendment. The time has come to tidy up these vital daily tools of work at a time when UK Parliaments are unlikely to tackle any law reform other than Brexit related.

Please provide us with information about the impact these issues are having in practice:

Huge-much greater than most Law Commission Reports over the years.

Please provide us with information about the potential benefits of law reform:

The law would be more accessible and logical than at present.

General comments:

I would like to see the Law Commission tackle criminal topics as well as civil. The law of concert and the law relating to the recovery of documents under warrant would be a start.