**Annex B** Respondent Information Form



**Please Note** this form **must** be completed and returned with your response.

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Are you responding as an individual or an organisation?

[ ]  Individual [ ]  Organisation

Full name or organisation’s name

Phone number

Address

Postcode

Email

The Scottish Government would like your

**Information for organisations:**

The option 'Publish response only (without name)’ is available for individual respondents only. If this option is selected, the organisation name will still be published.

If you choose the option 'Do not publish response', your organisation name may still be listed as having responded to the consultation in, for example, the analysis report.

permission to publish your consultation

response. Please indicate your publishing

preference:

[ ]  Publish response with name

[ ]  Publish response only (without name)

[ ]  Do not publish response

We will share your response internally with other Scottish Government policy teams who may be addressing the issues you discuss. They may wish to contact you again in the future, but we require your permission to do so. Are you content for Scottish Government to contact you again in relation to this consultation exercise?

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No

**Annex C** List of consultation questions

**Question 1**

We have identified three potential issues that may benefit from transitional or saving provision when the 2018 Act is commenced. These are ‘overnight prescription’, ‘retrospective prescription’ and ‘revived obligations’. Are there any other issues that you consider may benefit from transitional or saving provisions?

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No

Please explain your answer.

**Question 2**

The 1973 Act allowed those affected by the incoming regime a period of 3 years to arrange their affairs. Do you agree that 3 years is a sufficient length of time to ensure that creditors/debtors have the necessary time to arrange their affairs accordingly? If not, what period of notice would you suggest and what are your reasons for this suggestion?

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No

Please explain your answer.

**Question 3**

## Do you consider the savings provision proposed is sufficient to ensure that obligations which have prescribed under the 1973 Act as it stands prior to amendment by the 2018 Act will not be revived? Do you consider any further provision is required?

## [ ]  Yes

## [ ]  No

Please explain your answer.

**Question 4**

## Do you consider the transitional provision proposed to prevent the amendments made by the 2018 Act from providing for a date of prescription which pre-dates the coming into force of the 2018 Act are sufficient? Do you consider any further provision is required?

## [ ]  Yes

## [ ]  No

Please explain your answer.

**Question 5**

Do you agree that the manner in which the Scottish Government proposes to commence the 2018 Act address the potential issues highlighted in this consultation?

## [ ]  Yes

## [ ]  No

Please explain your answer.

**Question 6**

Are there any effects of the commencement provision proposed that are not anticipated and addressed in this consultation?

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No

Please explain your answer.