

JOINT COMMITTEE FOR JUDGING

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Changes to Approved List of Solo Piping Judges

The Joint Committee for Judging is delighted to announce the following changes to the list of its approved solo piping adjudicators agreed at the Annual Meeting on 1st November:

Changes to status of existing members of the list.

	<u>Piobaireachd</u>	<u>Light Music</u>
Willie Morrison	Senior	Senior
Tom Johnstone	Accredited	Approved

Assigned status for new members of the list:

Patricia Henderson	Approved	Approved
Stuart Shedden	Approved	Approved
Duncan Watson	Approved	Approved
William Wotherspoon	Approved	Approved

A full listing of judges on the 'Approved List' can be found on the Competing Pipers' Association website (www.competingpipers.com/judging).

Kind regards,

John Wilson, Chairman

Notes:

1 Categories and their meaning are as follows:

SENIOR: Those who have competed successfully at the highest level and can demonstrate sufficient knowledge and experience in judging. Eligible to judge any competition.

APPROVED: Those knowledgeable and experienced with notable success in competition (amateur or professional) but not necessarily at the highest (ie. gold medal) level. Eligible to judge any competition, normally with Senior judges, but not major competitions except with a senior judge or judges.

ACCREDITED: Those with recognised knowledge and/or experience. Eligible to judge local games/competitions, but not eligible to judge adult events at major competitions.

- 2 The Joint Committee for Judging is recognised by the Competing Pipers Association and major competitions in the UK as the sole authority for the appointment and regulation of qualified solo piping judges in Scotland. Membership of the Committee includes representatives of the Senior Judges, the Competing Pipers' Association, the Piobaireachd Society and the major competitions, including the Argyllshire Gathering and Northern Meeting.