

**LAW SOCIETY OF SCOTLAND
EXAMINATIONS**

Scots Criminal Law

Examination - Wednesday 14 February 2024

Assessment (B)

An oral presentation of 10 minutes duration. The topic will be issued to a candidate two weeks prior to examination. Material which is included in the presentation will not be included in the examination at the same diet.

Question

Explain fully the principles of the criminal defences of coercion and necessity. In your view, is the scope of these defences too restrictive?