

MARION S VENMAN

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE AND BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

General Counsel & Secretary to the Scottish Power Limited Board Director, ScottishPower Renewable Energy Limited Director, Scottish Power Retail Holdings Limited

Member of Court and Deputy Convenor of Estates of the University of Strathclyde 2012- to date.

Member of the Board of Scottish Business Resilience Centre 2014 to 2016.

Personal profile and academic training

Marion holds a Law Degree with Honours from the University of Strathclyde, Glasgow.

Marion speaks English, conversational French and working Spanish.

Noteworthy experience in the energy and industrial engineering sector

Marion Qualified with Scottish Enterprise in 1992. On qualification she worked in commercial private practice before joining major Aberdeen based oil Service Company, John Wood Group PLC as in house counsel.

Prior to joining Scottish Power in 2001, Marion worked as in house counsel for a major Scottish specialist engineering company. She developed her legal and commercial expertise in the energy sector when she was appointed to her first role in Scottish Power, as corporate counsel, before moving to Energy Networks as Legal & Commercial Director.

In 2007 she was appointed as General Counsel & Secretary to the Board, the position she holds currently. She is involved in a range of legal and commercial activities in the UK and Spain including leading, managing and delivering a group restructuring exercise, negotiating several multi-million pound joint ventures, advising Scottish Power in various regulatory matters with Ofgem, advising the Scottish Power Board on a range of legal issues and acting as Company Secretary.

Noteworthy experience in other industries

Marion developed in house legal and management expertise in a wide range of organisations including Seagram Distillers PLC and Clyde Blowers Limited.

Other information

Marion has an interest in contemporary Scottish art and enjoys horse riding, swimming and Pilates.