Who regulates fundraising?

Statutory Charity Regulation • Fundraising Self-Regulation

What rules must be followed?

Charity Law
Charity law is devolved, so there are different laws that apply in Scotland, Northern Ireland and England and Wales.

Code of Fundraising Practice
The Code of Fundraising Practice outlines the standards expected of all charitable fundraising in the UK.

Who does it in Scotland?

OSCR
Scottish Charity Regulator
Scotland’s independent Regulator and registrar for Scotland’s charities.

S.F.S.P.
The Panel are the independent body responsible for overseeing fundraising standards in Scotland and adjudicating on fundraising complaints for charities registered solely in Scotland.

Who does it in the rest of the UK?

Charity Commissions
The Charity Commission for England and Wales and the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register and regulate charities in their countries.

Fundraising Regulator
The Fundraising Regulator holds the Code of Fundraising Practice for the UK and deals with fundraising complaints about charities not solely registered in Scotland.