These notes refer to the School Standards and Organisation (Wales) Act 2013 (c.1) which received Royal Assent on 4 March 2013

# SCHOOL STANDARDS AND ORGANISATION (WALES) ACT 2013

# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

# **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

## Part 4 - Welsh in Education Strategic Plans

## Section 87 - Regulations and guidance

- 95. This section gives Welsh Ministers powers to make regulations which will make further provisions on matters such as the form and content of a WESP, its timing and duration, keeping the WESP under review, consultation and submission of the WESP for approval to the Welsh Ministers and its publication. Regulations may also make provision enabling a joint plan by two or more local authorities.
- 96. This section also provides a power for the Welsh Ministers to issue guidance which local authorities must have regard to when exercising their functions under Part 4 of this Act.