These notes relate to the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000 (asp 1) which received Royal Assent on 17 January 2000

# PUBLIC FINANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (SCOTLAND) ACT 2000

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### THE ACT

#### Section 19: Duty to Prepare Accounts

### **General Purpose**

91. This section makes, amongst other provision, the provision required by section 70(1) (a) and (b) of the Scotland Act. It explains which bodies and office-holders have a duty to produce accounts under the terms of the Act and makes arrangements for the audit of these accounts.