

## Transport (Scotland) Act 2001

## **PART**

## JOINT TRANSPORT STRATEGIES

## 1 Joint transport strategies

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may by order require such public bodies as may be specified in the order to prepare, and submit to them, jointly a strategy—
  - (a) dealing with such matters; and
  - (b) for such purposes,

as may be so specified in relation to the discharge of the functions of those bodies relating to transport.

- (2) Before making an order under this section the Scottish Ministers shall consult—
  - (a) the public bodies in respect of which they propose to make the order; and
  - (b) such other persons as they consider appropriate.
- (3) An order under this section may include such provision as respects—
  - (a) the form of the strategy to which it relates;
  - (b) the environmental, social and economic impact of the strategy, and any other matters to which the public bodies are required to have regard in the preparation of the strategy;
  - (c) the procedures relating to the preparation and making of it; and
  - (d) the time within which it is to be submitted,

as the Scottish Ministers consider necessary or expedient.

- (4) An order under this section shall include provision requiring the public bodies to which it relates to consult such persons as may be specified in the order.
- (5) Where an order is made under this section, the public bodies to which it relates may consult such other persons as those bodies consider appropriate about the proposed strategy.