

*These notes relate to the Sexual Offences (Procedure and Evidence)
(Scotland) Act 2002 (asp 9) which received Royal Assent on 11 April 2002*

SEXUAL OFFENCES (PROCEDURE AND EVIDENCE) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Section 3: Notice to accused about effect of sections 288C and 288D of 1995 Act and special pre-trial court procedures

16. Section 3 gives effect to the schedule to the Act. This contains the procedural provisions concerning warnings to the accused and pre-trial hearings referred to in paragraph 4 above.