These notes relate to the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003 (asp 13) which received Royal Assent on 25 April 2003

## MENTAL HEALTH (CARE AND TREATMENT) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2003

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

Part 11 – Hospital Directions and Transfer for Treatment Directions

Effect of revocation of direction

Section 216: effect of revocation of direction

391. Section 216 provides that, where a hospital direction or transfer for treatment direction is revoked by the Scottish Ministers, the patient must be returned to a prison, institution or other place where the patient may have been detained had the patient not been detained in hospital. The direction ceases to have effect on admission.