

*These notes relate to the Water Environment and Water Services  
(Scotland) Act 2003 (asp 3) which received Royal Assent on 5 March 2003*

# **WATER ENVIRONMENT AND WATER SERVICES (SCOTLAND) ACT 2003**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **THE ACT – SECTION BY SECTION**

#### **Part 3 - General**

#### *Section 38 – Commencement and short title*

139. This section provides that all of the provisions of the Act, except Part 3, shall come into force when Scottish Ministers by order appoint. Part 3 comes into force on Royal Assent. The section also provides for the short title of the Act.