

*These notes relate to the Water Services etc. (Scotland) Act
2005 (asp 3) which received Royal Assent on 17 March 2005*

WATER SERVICES ETC. (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Schedule A1: Water Industry Commission for Scotland

Paragraph 13: General powers

231. [Paragraph 13\(1\)](#) provides that the Commission may enter into contracts and acquire or dispose of property, if this is necessary or expedient in the exercise of its functions; but the Scottish Ministers' consent is required where land is acquired or disposed of (sub-paragraph (2)).