

*These notes relate to the Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act 2005 (asp 6) which received Royal Assent on 1 June 2005*

# FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### PARLIAMENTARY HISTORY

Stage	Date	Key Documents
Introduction	20 September 2004	Bill as introduced: <a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/bills/pdfs/b26s2-introd.pdf">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/bills/pdfs/b26s2-introd.pdf</a>
Stage 1	5 October 2004	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2102.htm#Col1086">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2102.htm#Col1086</a>
	2 November 2004	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2301.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2301.htm</a>
	9 November 2004	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2401.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2401.htm</a>
	16 November 2004	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2501.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-04/ec04-2501.htm</a>
	20 December 2004	Final Committee Report: <a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/reports-04/elr04-12-01.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/reports-04/elr04-12-01.htm</a>
Stage 1 Debate	20 January	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/officialReports/meetingsParliament/or-05/sor0120-01.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/officialReports/meetingsParliament/or-05/sor0120-01.htm</a>
Stage 2		Bill as amended: <a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/bills/pdfs/b26s2-stage2-amend.pdf">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/bills/pdfs/b26s2-stage2-amend.pdf</a>
	22 February 2005	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-05/ec05-0501.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-05/ec05-0501.htm</a>
	1 March 2005	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-05/ec05-0601.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/committees/enterprise/or-05/ec05-0601.htm</a>
Stage 3 Debate	20 April 2005	<a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/officialReports/meetingsParliament/or-05/sor0420-01.htm">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/officialReports/meetingsParliament/or-05/sor0420-01.htm</a>
		Bill as passed: <a href="http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/bills/pdfs/b26s2-aspassed.pdf">www.scottish.parliament.uk/business/bills/pdfs/b26s2-aspassed.pdf</a>
Royal Assent	1 June 2005	Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act 2005: <a href="http://www.opsi.gov.uk/legislation/scotland/acts2005/20050006.htm">www.opsi.gov.uk/legislation/scotland/acts2005/20050006.htm</a>