



# Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009

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### PART 2

#### ADVISORY FUNCTIONS

##### *Advisory body*

#### **24 Meaning of advisory body**

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may, by order, designate—
  - (a) a body established under section 25(1); or
  - (b) such other public body as they consider appropriate,to exercise the functions mentioned in subsection (3) (the “advisory functions”).
- (2) In this Act, the body designated by virtue of subsection (1) is the “advisory body”.
- (3) The advisory functions are—
  - (a) the function of providing advice, analysis, information and other assistance to the Scottish Ministers in respect of Ministers' duty under section 2(1) and functions under sections 5, 7, 9 and 10(4);
  - (b) the functions conferred on the advisory body by sections 27 to 32 and 56; and
  - (c) such other functions relating to advice on climate change as the Scottish Ministers may confer by an order under subsection (1).
- (4) An order under subsection (1) may in particular provide—
  - (a) for the conferral of functions on the advisory body relating to advice on climate change;
  - (b) for the information that advice must contain;
  - (c) for the factors to which the body is to have regard in giving that advice;
  - (d) for the period within which the body must give that advice;
  - (e) as to whom that advice is to be given;
  - (f) for the form and manner in which that advice is to be published and laid before the Scottish Parliament.

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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(5) In subsection (1)(b) , a “public body” means a person or body with functions of a public nature.