

*These notes relate to the Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland)  
Act 2010 (asp 13) which received Royal Assent on 6 August 2010*

# **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### **Part 9 - Alcohol Licensing**

##### ***Section 188 – Sale of alcohol to trade***

767. This section amends sections 63 and 117 of the Licensing (Scotland) Act to enable the trade, as defined by section 147(2) of the 2005 Act, to purchase alcohol from a premises which hold a premises licence or occasional licence without committing an offence. Previously the trade would only have been able to purchase from premises which supplied trade only. This means that, for example, a restaurant owner may purchase alcohol from a supermarket for their restaurant without committing an offence.