These notes relate to the Legal Services (Scotland) Act 2010 (asp 16) which received Royal Assent on 9 November 2010

# **LEGAL SERVICES (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010**

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

#### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### **Part 2** – Regulation of Licensed Legal Services

**Chapter 3** – Further Provision

### Miscellaneous

#### Section 85 – Privileged material

183. Section 85 provides that any publication of any advice, report, or notice or of other material under Part 2 of this Act is privileged in relation to the law on defamation unless there was malicious intent in publishing the material.