

*These notes relate to the Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act
2011 (asp 1) which received Royal Assent on 6 January 2011*

CHILDREN'S HEARINGS (SCOTLAND) ACT 2011

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 2 – the Principal Reporter and the Scottish Children's Reporter Administration (Scra)

The Principal Reporter

Section 17 – Duty as respects location of children's hearing

19. This section places a duty on the Principal Reporter (who is the person responsible for arranging all Children's Hearings) to ensure that a Children's Hearing takes place, so far as is practicable, in the child's local authority area.