

*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 5 – Child Assessment and Child Protection Orders

Consideration of application by sheriff

Section 38 – Consideration by sheriff: application by local authority only

40. This section relates specifically to the sheriff's consideration of a local authority application for a child protection order. Subsection (2) sets out what the sheriff must be satisfied of before making the child protection order.