## **RESERVOIRS (SCOTLAND) ACT 2011**

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## THE ACT - SECTION BY SECTION

Part 1 - Reservoirs

Chapter 6 – Other Requirements: High-Risk Reservoirs and Medium Risk Reservoirs

## Section 51 – Recording of water levels etc and record keeping etc

82. This section requires the reservoir manager of high and medium risk reservoirs to record and maintain specific matters in relation to the reservoir. Subsection (1) lists the matters to be recorded under this section. Subsection (2) enables the Scottish Ministers to make further provision in regulations as to the information to be recorded by reservoir managers and the form of the record to be maintained. Subsection (3) enables construction engineers, inspecting engineers or supervising engineers appointed to a reservoir to direct the reservoir manager as to the manner in which the records are to be kept and how often they should be updated. Subsection (4) requires the reservoir manager to comply with any such directions. Subsection (5) requires the reservoir manager to install any instruments necessary to provide the information to be recorded under this section.