

*These notes relate to the Adults with Incapacity (Scotland)  
Act 2000 (asp 4) which received Royal Assent on 9 May 2000*

# **ADULTS WITH INCAPACITY (SCOTLAND) ACT 2000**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **THE ACT**

#### **Part 1: General**

#### **Appeal against decision as to incapacity**

#### ***Section 14: Appeal against decision as to incapacity***

57. This section ensures that any assessment of incapacity made under the legislation, by a medical practitioner or other person, can be challenged through an appeal to the sheriff. It also sets out how an appeal may be made against a decision on incapacity made by the sheriff.