## **TENEMENTS (SCOTLAND) ACT 2004**

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

Support and Shelter

Section 7 – Abolition as respects tenements of common law rules of common interest

- 49. Section 7abolishes the common law rules of common interest as they apply to tenements. This section should be read with sections 8and9 which restate the common law in statutory form.
- 50. Although the doctrine of common interest will no longer apply to tenements, it will still be applicable in any dispute involving a tenement building and any other building (whether a tenement or not) or any land not pertaining to the tenement.