

Fire (Scotland) Act 2005

PART 2

FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES

CHAPTER 6

MUTUAL ASSISTANCE ETC.

Assistance in discharge of functions

35 Assistance other than from relevant authorities

- (1) A relevant authority may enter into arrangements with a relevant person for securing the provision by that person of assistance for the purpose of the carrying out by the authority of a function conferred on it by virtue of any of sections 8 to 11, 13 and 61.
- (2) In subsection (1) "relevant person" means a person who—
 - (a) is not a relevant authority; and
 - (b) in the case of arrangements for the securing of assistance for the purpose of extinguishing fires—
 - (i) employs fire-fighters; or
 - (ii) is approved for that purpose by the Chief Officer of a relevant authority.
- (3) Arrangements under this section may include provision as to the terms (including terms as to payment) on which assistance is to be provided.