

## Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act 2005

## PART 1

FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION ETC.

Provision of further and higher education etc.

## 4 The Scottish Ministers: general duty

- (1) It is the duty of the Scottish Ministers to provide support for—
  - (a) the provision of fundable further education and fundable higher education by the fundable bodies; and
  - (b) the undertaking of research among the fundable bodies.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers are to do so—
  - (a) by—
    - (i) making grants to the Council under section 9 or 10 (or both); and
    - (ii) such other means as they consider appropriate; and
  - (b) to such extent as they may determine.