

*These notes relate to the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 (asp 6) which received Royal Assent on 24 July 2015*

# **COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 2015**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### **Part 4: Community rights to buy land**

##### **Modifications of Part 2 of Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2003 : the community right to buy**

Calculation of time periods in Part 2 of 2003 Act

140. [Section 60](#) of the Act inserts a new section 67A into the 2003 Act which provides that public or local holidays are not to be taken into account when calculating time periods in Part 2 of the 2003 Act.
141. New section 67A(2) of the 2003 Act provides a number of exceptions to the rule provided in new section 67A(1) – statutory periods for the date of entry, the valuation process and any appeals are not to be extended if a public or local holiday falls during the time when these steps are active.