

*These notes relate to the Education (Scotland) Act 2016  
(asp 8) which received Royal Assent on 8 March 2016*

# EDUCATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2016

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

#### **Part 3: Miscellaneous**

#### *Section 19: Additional support for learning*

#### **Amendment of section 27A: collection of data on additional support needs**

104. Paragraph 20 of the schedule to the Act amends section 27A of the 2004 Act to remove the current provision at section 27A(1) and to introduce a regulation-making power to place requirements on Scottish Ministers to collect data. Section 27A(1A) requires Scottish Ministers to consult prior to making a regulation using the power.