These notes relate to the Planning (Scotland) Act 2019 (asp 13) which received Royal Assent on 25 July 2019

PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2019

EXPLANATORY NOTES

OVERVIEW OF THE ACT

PART 1 – DEVELOPMENT PLANNING

Local place plans

Section 14: Local place plans

Register and map of local place plans

90. Paragraph 3 provides that every planning authority must keep a register of local place plans. When a valid local place plan (that is, one in relation to which the requirements of paragraph 1(4) and 2(1) have been complied with) is submitted to them, a planning authority must include it in their register and inform the community body that it has been registered. Under sub-paragraph (3), if the planning authority consider the local place plan is not valid and therefore decide not to register it, they must give their reasons to the community body. Sub-paragraph (5) allows the Scottish Ministers to make regulations about the register, including when a local place plan may or must be removed from it. This will enable arrangements to be made for local place plans to expire after a period of time or to be superseded by a more recent version. Paragraph 4 requires each planning authority to make available a map of the land covered by registered local place plans in their district.