

These notes relate to the Christmas Day and New Year's Day Trading (Scotland) Act 2007 (asp 13) which received Royal Assent on 13 April 2007

CHRISTMAS DAY AND NEW YEAR'S DAY TRADING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2007

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Section 2: Application of section 1 to New Year's Day

7. **Section 2** provides that the Scottish Ministers can apply section 1 of the Bill to New Year's day. They may do so by laying a draft order before the Parliament. However before they can lay the order, they must consult with the persons referred to in subsection 2(4). They are also required to lay before the Parliament a report about economic impact and the impact on family life plus a statement of reasons.