

*These notes relate to the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act  
2008 (asp 5) which received Royal Assent on 16 July 2008*

# **PUBLIC HEALTH ETC. (SCOTLAND) ACT 2008**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **THE ACT – OVERVIEW**

#### **Part 4**

#### **Public Health Functions of Health Boards**

#### **Quarantine and detention: steps that may be taken**

##### *Section 46*

##### *Authorised steps*

92. This section sets out authorised steps which may be taken under a quarantine order, a short term detention order or an exceptional detention order. These are disinfection, disinfestation and decontamination.