

*These notes refer to the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46)
which received Royal Assent on 19th November 1998*

SCOTLAND ACT 1998

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 8, Paragraph 27: Prisons (Scotland) Act 1989

Purpose and Effect

Paragraph 27 amends the Prisons (Scotland) Act 1989 to remove or amend specific provisions for appointment of staff in relation to prisons. These powers of appointment are no longer required as a consequence of the provision in section 51 for the Scottish Ministers to appoint persons to be members of the staff of the Scottish Administration.