



# Transport (Scotland) Act 2001

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### PART 2

#### BUS SERVICES

##### *Quality contract schemes*

#### **15 Consultation as to proposed quality contract scheme**

- (1) If a local transport authority propose to make a quality contract scheme, they shall give notice of the proposed scheme in at least one local newspaper circulating in the area to which it relates.
- (2) The notice shall—
  - (a) set out the proposed scheme or state where, in what form, and at what times, a copy of it may be inspected; and
  - (b) state the authority's reasons for wishing to make the scheme.
- (3) After giving notice of the proposed scheme, the authority shall consult—
  - (a) all operators of local services in the area to which the proposed scheme relates;
  - (b) all persons (other than those falling within paragraph (a) above) holding a PSV operator's licence or a community bus permit who are, in the opinion of the authority, likely to be affected by it;
  - (c) such organisations appearing to the authority to be representative of users of local services as they think fit;
  - (d) every other local transport authority any part of whose area is, in the opinion of the authority, likely to be affected by it;
  - (e) any—
    - (i) local transport authority (as defined in paragraphs (a) to (c) of section 108(4) of the Transport Act 2000 (c.38)); or
    - (ii) metropolitan district council in England, any part of whose area is, in the opinion of the authority, likely to be affected by it;
  - (f) the traffic commissioner;

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(g) the chief officer of police for each police area which is to any extent comprised in the area to which the scheme relates; and

(h) such other persons as the authority think fit.

(4) The authority may modify the proposed scheme following those consultations.

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

**C1** Ss. 13-21: transfer of functions (1.11.2006) by [Transfer of Functions to the Shetland Transport Partnership Order 2006 \(S.S.I. 2006/527\)](#), arts. 1, 3, **Sch. 1** (with art. 5)

**C2** Ss. 13-21: transfer of functions (7.11.2006) by [Transfer of Functions to the South-West of Scotland Transport Partnership Order 2006 \(S.S.I. 2006/538\)](#), art. 1, **Sch. 1** (with art. 5)

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