



# Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009 2009 asp 6

## PART 3

### FLOOD RISK ASSESSMENT, MAPS AND PLANS

#### *Flood risk management plans*

#### **32 Flood risk management plans: approval and publication**

- (1) After considering a flood risk management plan submitted to them under section 27(1) or in pursuance of section 31(3)(b) or subsection (4) of this section, the Scottish Ministers may—
  - (a) approve it (in whole or in part and with or without modifications), or
  - (b) reject it.
- (2) Before determining whether or not to approve a plan, the Scottish Ministers may request such further information and carry out such further investigations and consultation as they consider appropriate.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers must advise SEPA in writing of their reasons for their determination under subsection (1) in relation to a plan.
- (4) Where the Scottish Ministers reject a plan, they must return the plan to SEPA and direct it to resubmit the plan with—
  - (a) such modifications as the direction may specify, and
  - (b) any further modifications which SEPA considers appropriate,by such date as the direction may specify.
- (5) Where the Scottish Ministers approve a plan, SEPA must—
  - (a) publish the approved plan in such manner as it considers appropriate,
  - (b) make copies of it available for public inspection,
  - (c) make copies of it available to the public, and
  - (d) publicise the publication of the approved plan.

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*Status: Point in time view as at 26/11/2009. This version of this provision has been superseded.*

*Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009, Section 32. (See end of Document for details)*

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- (6) In making copies of the plan available to the public under subsection (5)(c), SEPA may charge a reasonable price for each copy.

**Commencement Information**

**I1** [S. 32](#) in force at 26.11.2009 by [S.S.I. 2009/393](#), art. 2, [Sch.](#)

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