

*These notes relate to the British Sign Language (Scotland) Act 2015 (asp 11) which received Royal Assent on 22 October 2015*

# **BRITISH SIGN LANGUAGE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2015**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **INTRODUCTION**

1. These Explanatory Notes have been prepared by the Scottish Parliament's Non-Government Bills Unit in order to assist the reader of the British Sign Language (Scotland) Act 2015 ("the Act"). They do not form part of the Act and have not been endorsed by the Parliament.
2. The Notes should be read in conjunction with the Act. They are not, and are not meant to be, a comprehensive description of the Act. So where a section, or part of a section, does not seem to require any explanation or comment, none is given.