

*These notes relate to the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016
(asp 9) which received Royal Assent on 9 March 2016*

CARERS (SCOTLAND) ACT 2016

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON PARTS

Part 2 – Adult Carer Support Plans and Young Carer Statements

Chapter 2 – Young carer statements

Duty to prepare young carer statement

Section 13 – Young carers of terminally ill cared-for persons

41. This section imposes a duty on the Scottish Ministers so they must by regulations prescribe timescales for the preparation of young carer statements in relation to young carers of cared-for persons with a terminal illness. The meaning of ‘terminally ill cared-for person’ is given in section 7(2). This power is subject to the affirmative procedure (see section 42(2)).