



# Planning (Scotland) Act 2019

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### PART 4

#### OTHER MATTERS

##### *Performance of planning authorities*

#### **47 National performance monitoring**

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 251A (as inserted by section 46) insert—

##### *“National performance monitoring*

#### **251B National planning improvement co-ordinator**

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may appoint a person (“the co-ordinator”) to—
  - (a) monitor the performance by planning authorities of their functions, and
  - (b) provide advice to planning authorities, and to such other persons as the co-ordinator considers appropriate, in relation to what steps might be taken by planning authorities or such other persons to improve the performance of their functions.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provision about the appointment and functions of the co-ordinator.”.