*These notes relate to the Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Act 2021 (asp 16) which received Royal Assent on 5 May 2021* 

# DOMESTIC ABUSE (PROTECTION) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2021

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

#### THE ACT

### **Part 3 – Final provisions**

#### Section 24 – Commencement

157. Section 24 provides that section 21 and Part 3 come into force on the day after Royal Assent. All other provisions are to come into force on a day appointed by regulations made by the Scottish Ministers, and those regulations may make transitional, transitory or saving provision related to commencement and may make different provision for different purposes.