

*These notes relate to the Fire (Scotland) Act 2005  
(asp 5) which received Royal Assent on 1 April 2005*

# **FIRE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **THE ACT – SECTION BY SECTION**

#### **Part 1 – Fire and Rescue Authorities**

##### ***Section 6 – Meaning of “relevant authority”***

12. The term “relevant authority” is used throughout the Act and is defined at section 6 as a fire and rescue authority as constituted under section 1 or a joint fire and rescue board constituted under an amalgamation scheme under section 2(1). “Relevant authority” is used throughout these Notes in the same way.