

*These notes relate to the Water Resources (Scotland) Act  
2013 (asp 5) which received Royal Assent on 9th April 2013*

# **WATER RESOURCES (SCOTLAND) ACT 2013**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **THE ACT – SECTION BY SECTION**

#### **Part 2 – Control of Water Abstraction**

##### ***Section 9 – Consultation on changes***

21. Before making regulations altering certain details of the abstraction control regime under section 7 or 8, the Scottish Ministers must consult Scottish Water, the Scottish Environment Protection Agency, Scottish Natural Heritage, and such other persons or organisations as they think appropriate.