

Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015

PART 6

DELEGATION OF FORESTRY COMMISSIONERS' FUNCTIONS

98 Meaning of "community body" in Forestry Act 1967

- (1) Section 7C of the Forestry Act 1967 (delegation of functions under section 7B: community bodies) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1)—
 - (a) for the words from "company", where it first occurs, to "include" substitute "body corporate having a written constitution that includes",
 - (b) for the word "company", wherever it appears in paragraphs (a) to (e), substitute "body",
 - (c) after paragraph (d) insert—
 - "(da) provision that membership of the body is open to any member of the community,
 - (db) a statement of the body's aims and purposes, including the promotion of a benefit for the community,", and
 - (d) in paragraph (e), for "and the auditing of its accounts" substitute ", and
 - (f) provision that any surplus funds or assets of the body are to be applied for the benefit of the community.".
- (3) In subsection (2), for "(d)" substitute "(db)".
- (4) Subsections (4) to (6) are repealed.