

*These notes relate to the Mental Health (Scotland) Act
2015 (asp 9) which received Royal Assent on 4 August 2015*

MENTAL HEALTH (SCOTLAND) ACT 2015

EXPLANATORY NOTES

THE STRUCTURE & A SUMMARY OF THE ACT

Part One – the 2003 Act

Section 18: Meaning of hospital in sections 264 to 273 of the 2003 Act

Amendment to [section 273](#)

63. [Section 18](#) provides that in Chapter 3 of Part 17 of the 2003 Act, a reference to a hospital may be read as a reference to a hospital unit and that “hospital unit” means any part of a hospital which is treated as a separate unit.