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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1999 No. 1**

**The Environmental Impact Assessment  
(Scotland) Regulations 1999**

**PART IV  
DRAINAGE WORKS**

**Interpretation**

**55.** In this Part, except where the context otherwise requires—

- (a) “the Act” means the Land Drainage (Scotland) Act 1958;  
“improvement order” means an order made by the Scottish Ministers in accordance with the First Schedule to the Act;  
“local authority” means any council constituted under section 2 of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994<sup>(1)</sup>;  
“site of special scientific interest” means land to which section 28(1) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981<sup>(2)</sup> applies; and  
“statutory body” means any body exercising functions conferred on it by or under any enactment;
- (b) the following phrases have the meanings assigned to them by section 18(1) of the Act:—
  - (i) “agricultural land”;
  - (ii) “drainage works”; and
  - (iii) “owner”;
- (c) the following phrases have the meanings assigned to them by regulation 2(1):—
  - (i) “the consultation bodies”;
  - (ii) “environmental information”; and
  - (iii) “environmental statement”.

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(1) 1994 c. 39.

(2) 1981 c. 69.