

*These notes refer to the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46)  
which received Royal Assent on 19th November 1998*

# SCOTLAND ACT 1998

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### SCHEDULES

#### Schedule 5

#### Part II: Preliminary paragraphs

#### Head B - Home Affairs

#### *Section B2: Data Protection*

#### Executive Devolution

The following functions have been included in the Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.) Order 1999 ([S.I. 1999/1750](#)).

<a href="#">The Data Protection Act 1984 (c.35)</a> , section 3(3)(a) and (b).	The function of the Secretary of State of being consulted by the Lord Chancellor on the appointment of chairman and deputy chairmen of the Data Protection Tribunal.
<a href="#">The Data Protection Act 1998 (c.29)</a> , section 6(4)(a) and (b).	The function of the Secretary of State of being consulted by the Lord Chancellor on appointments of the chairman and deputy chairmen of the Data Protection Tribunal.