

# Water Industry (Scotland) Act 2002

## PART 3

#### SCOTTISH WATER

#### Miscellaneous

# 57 Information and reports

- (1) Scottish Water must provide the Scottish Ministers with such information relating to the exercise of its functions as they may require.
- (2) For that purpose Scottish Water must—
  - (a) permit any person authorised to do so by the Scottish Ministers to inspect and make copies of its accounts and other records, and
  - (b) provide that person with such explanations in relation to those accounts and records as the person or the Scottish Ministers may require.
- (3) Scottish Water must prepare—
  - (a) a report on its activities during the period from the beginning of each financial year to 30th September in that year, and
  - (b) a report on its activities during the whole of each financial year, as soon as practicable after the end of the period to which the report relates.
- (4) A report prepared under subsection (3)(a) must include a statement of accounts for the period to which the report relates; and subsection (2) of section 45 applies to such a statement of accounts as it applies to a statement of accounts prepared in accordance with that section.
- (5) A report prepared under subsection (3)(b) must include—
  - (a) a description of the manner in which Scottish Water has complied, during the period to which the report relates, with its duties under sections 26, 28, 50 and 51, and
  - (b) the reasons for any failure, during that period, to comply with its duties under sections 26 and 28.
- (6) Scottish Water must—

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- (a) send a copy of each report prepared under subsection (3) to the Scottish Ministers, the [F1Commission] and the Convener of the Water Customer Consultation Panels, and
- (b) publish the report.
- (7) A report prepared under subsection (3) must set out any directions under section 56 which have been given to Scottish Water during the period to which the report relates.
- (8) The Scottish Ministers must lay a copy of a report sent to them under subsection (6) before the Parliament.

### **Textual Amendments**

F1 Words in s. 57(6)(a) substituted (1.7.2005) by Water Services etc. (Scotland) Act 2005 (asp 3), s. 37(2), sch. 5 para. 7(1) (with s. 36); S.S.I. 2005/351, art. 2, sch. 2

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