

*These notes relate to the Scottish Local Government (Elections)
Act 2009 (asp 10) which received Royal Assent on 21 July 2009*

SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ELECTIONS) ACT 2009

EXPLANATORY NOTES

THE ACT: OVERVIEW

4. The Act changes the date of the local government elections in Scotland so that they are no longer held in the same year as elections to the Scottish Parliament. The Act also gives the Scottish Ministers powers to make secondary legislation relating to the publication of information about votes cast at local government elections.