These notes relate to the Land Registration etc. (Scotland) Act 2012 (asp 5) which received Royal Assent on 10 July 2012

LAND REGISTRATION ETC. (SCOTLAND) ACT 2012

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 9: Rights of Persons Acquiring Etc. in Good Faith

Servitudes

Section 90: Grant of servitude by person not proprietor

206. This section is the equivalent section to section 86, but for servitudes. It provides that in certain cases a servitude granted by someone with a bad title is valid. Like section 86, it requires the proprietor of the benefited property to be in good faith. This section applies only to the grant of a new servitude. It does not cover the case where land is disponed and from the register it appears that there is a servitude benefiting the property (i.e. as a pertinent), but in fact the servitude is invalid. In such a case, the servitude remains invalid notwithstanding the transfer to a good faith acquirer.