# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## EMERGENCY WORKERS (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

### **INTRODUCTION**

## THE ACT

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

- Section 1 Assaulting or impeding certain providers of emergency services
- Section 2 Assaulting or impeding certain emergency workers responding to emergency circumstances
- Section 3 Assaulting or impeding persons assisting emergency workers
- Section 4 Provisions supplementary to section 1 to 3
- Section 5 Assaulting or impeding health workers in hospital premises
- Section 6 Penalties
- Section 7 Saving for certain other offences
- Section 8 Power to modify

## **STATISTICS**

PARLIAMENTARY HISTORY OF THE EMERGENCY WORKERS (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005