



# Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014

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### PART 1

#### KEY CONCEPTS AND APPLICATION

##### *Contracting authorities*

#### **1 Contracting authorities**

- (1) For the purposes of this Act, a “contracting authority” is—
  - (a) a body, office-holder or other person listed in the schedule, or
  - (b) any other person who is a contracting authority for the purposes of the Public Contracts Regulations and whose functions—
    - (i) are exercisable in or as regards Scotland, and
    - (ii) do not relate to reserved matters within the meaning of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46).
- (2) The Scottish Ministers may by order modify the meaning of “contracting authority” for the purposes of this Act.
- (3) An order under subsection (2) may amend subsection (1) and the schedule.