## SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2023 No. 123

# The Heat Networks (Heat Network Zones and Building Assessment Reports) (Scotland) Regulations 2023

# Part 2

## Heat Network Zones

## Designation of heat network zone by local authority: consultation

- **3.**—(1) For the purposes of section 48(2) of the Act the persons to be consulted are as specified in paragraph (2) and the manner of consultation is as specified in paragraph (3).
  - (2) The persons specified are—
    - (a) where any part of the boundary of a proposed heat network zone would adjoin any part of the boundary of a neighbouring local authority, that local authority, and
    - (b) in the case of a heat network zone within the area of a National Park, the National Park authority.
  - (3) The local authority must publish—
    - (a) a map showing the proposed heat network zone on their website, and
    - (b) a notice in a local newspaper circulating in the area and on the internet which states—
      - (i) which area the local authority proposes to designate as a heat network zone, and
      - (ii) how and by what date (being a date no fewer than 28 days after the notice is published) representations can be made.