EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note does not form part of the Order)

This Order amends the Electricity from Non-Fossil Fuel Sources (Scotland) Saving Arrangements Order 2001 (S.I.2001/3269).

Article 2 amends the Order to make it a requirement that the supply successor company puts arrangements in place to sell on the open market benefits attaching to any electricity received by him under the SRO Orders. The arrangements are to be approved by the Authority and the Scottish Ministers. The requirements will allow for the electricity benefits to be auctioned by a third party and the proceeds of sale used to reduce the Fossil Fuel Levy paid by electricity consumers.