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The Flood Risk Management (Flood Protection Schemes, Potentially Vulnerable Areas and Local Plan Districts) (Scotland) Regulations 2010

PART II

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Notification of a scheme with an environmental statement

- 7.—(1) This regulation applies where—
 - (a) a local authority has prepared an environmental statement relating to a proposed flood protection scheme, and
 - (b) it has not previously given notice of the proposed scheme.
- (2) The local authority must—
 - (a) give notice of the proposed scheme in accordance with paragraphs 1(1), (2) and (4) of schedule 2 to the Act; and
 - (b) make a copy of the environmental statement available for public inspection alongside the scheme documents that are made available in accordance with paragraph 2 of schedule 2 to the Act.
- (3) A notice under paragraph (2)(a) must, in addition to the information required by paragraph 1(3) of schedule 2 to the Act, include a statement—
 - (a) that the scheme is likely to have a significant effect on the environment;
 - (b) that the scheme documents are accompanied by an environmental statement which is available for public inspection;
 - (c) describing the circumstances under the Act in which the Scottish Ministers may cause a public inquiry into the application; and
 - (d) setting out the nature of possible decisions that may be taken in relation to the scheme.
- (4) The local authority must supply a copy of the scheme documents and the environmental statement to the consultative bodies no later than the date that the notice referred to in paragraph (2) (a) is given.