
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 324

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
SHELLFISH
WATER**

**The Water Environment (Shellfish Water Protected
Areas: Designation) (Scotland) Order 2013**

Made - - - - *12th November 2013*
Laid before the Scottish
Parliament - - - - *14th November 2013*
22nd December
Coming into force - - *2013*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5A(1) and (6) of the Water Environment and Water Services (Scotland) Act 2003⁽¹⁾ and of all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 5A(2) of that Act, the Scottish Ministers consider it desirable for the areas of coastal water and transitional water designated by this Order to be so designated under section 5A(1) for the protection or development of economically significant shellfish production.

⁽¹⁾ 2003 asp 3. Section 5A was inserted by section 47 of the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2013 (asp 7).