



# Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1972

## 1972 CHAPTER 52

### PART XI

#### STATUTORY UNDERTAKERS

##### *Preliminary*

#### **213 Meaning of " the appropriate Minister "**

- (1) In this Act " the appropriate Minister "—
- (a) in relation to statutory undertakers carrying on an under taking for the supply of gas or hydraulic power, means the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry;
  - (b) in relation to statutory undertakers carrying on a light house undertaking, means the said Secretary of State or the Board of Trade;
  - (c) in relation to statutory undertakers carrying on an under taking for the supply of electricity or water, means the Secretary of State; and
  - (d) in relation to any other statutory undertakers, means the Secretary of State for the Environment.
- (2) This Act shall have effect as if references to the Secretary of State and the appropriate Minister—
- (a) were references to the Secretary of State and the appropriate Minister, if the appropriate Minister is not the one concerned as the Secretary of State; and
  - (b) were references to the one concerned as the Secretary of State alone, if he is also the appropriate Minister;
- and similarly with references to a Minister and the appropriate Minister and with any provision requiring the Secretary of State to act jointly with the appropriate Minister.