



## 2001 CHAPTER 11

### *Miscellaneous and supplementary*

#### **Interpretation**

**15.** In this Act—

“the Convention” means the Convention on Protection of Children and Co-operation in respect of Intercountry Adoption, concluded at the Hague on 29th May 1993;

“the Department” means the Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety;

“the 1987 Order” means the Adoption (Northern Ireland) Order 1987 (NI 22);

“statutory provision” has the meaning given by section 1(f) of the Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 (c. 33).

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Adoption (Intercountry Aspects) Act (Northern Ireland) 2001, Section 15.