



# Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999

## 1999 CHAPTER 31

### **10 Short title, commencement and extent**

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- (2) This Act comes into force on the day on which it is passed but, subject to subsection (3), does not apply in relation to a contract entered into before the end of the period of six months beginning with that day.
- (3) The restriction in subsection (2) does not apply in relation to a contract which—
  - (a) is entered into on or after the day on which this Act is passed, and
  - (b) expressly provides for the application of this Act.
- (4) This Act extends as follows—
  - (a) section 9 extends to Northern Ireland only;
  - (b) the remaining provisions extend to England and Wales and Northern Ireland only.