These notes refer to the Care Standards Act 2000 (c.14) which received Royal Assent on 20 July 2000

# **CARE STANDARDS ACT 2000**

# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

## Part Ii Establishments and Agencies

#### Offences

#### Section 27 False statements in applications

101. This section makes it an offence for an applicant knowingly to make a false or misleading statement in applications to the registration authority. The penalty will be a fine of up to level 4 on the standard scale. The application forms will inform people of this offence, which should act as a strong incentive for people to complete their applications accurately.