

*These notes refer to the Regulation of Investigatory Powers  
Act 2000 (c.23) which received Royal Assent on 28 July 2000*

# **REGULATION OF INVESTIGATORY POWERS ACT 2000**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **OVERVIEW**

#### *Scrutiny of Investigatory Powers and Codes of Practice*

13. This Part ensures that there will be independent judicial oversight of powers where necessary.
14. It also establishes a Tribunal as a means of redress for those who wish to complain about the use of the powers.
15. Finally, it provides for the Secretary of State to issue Codes of Practice covering the use of the powers covered by the Act.