

*These notes refer to the Transport (Wales) Act 2006  
(c.5) which received Royal Assent on 16 February 2006*

# TRANSPORT (WALES) ACT 2006

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

#### *Section 3 (and Schedule 1): Local transport plans*

#### **Modification of provisions about plans and strategies: Wales**

19. [Paragraph 6](#) inserts a new section 113A into the Transport Act which gives the Assembly the power to make orders modifying the duties of local transport authorities in Wales in relation to local transport plans (and the bus strategies which form part of them) so as to require local transport plans and bus strategies to be prepared for areas which reflect regional patterns of travel instead of local authority boundaries. In determining these areas it is expected that the Assembly would take account of regional patterns of travel generally, including accessibility to work, to public services and to leisure activities. An order will be able to include provision for the necessary administrative arrangements between different local transport authorities where plans are prepared for areas which cut across boundaries.