These notes refer to the Public Bodies Act 2011 (c.24) which received Royal Assent on 14th December 2011

# **PUBLIC BODIES ACT 2011**

# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

# COMMENTARY

# **Part 3: Final**

#### Section 35: Orders: supplementary

87. *Subsection* (4) stipulates that a draft instrument laid under this Act cannot be treated as a hybrid instrument by either House, regardless of whether the content of the draft instrument would normally identify it as a hybrid instrument for such a purpose.

# Section 37: Extent

88. Generally, the Act extends to the whole of the United Kingdom. *Subsections (2) to (4)* provide that repeals and amendments made by the Act have the same extent as the enactments to which they relate. *Subsection (5)* provides that an order made under this Act which repeals, revokes or amends any enactment extending outside the United Kingdom (for example, to the Channel Islands) may have the same extent as the original enactment.

#### Schedule 1: Power to abolish: bodies and offices

89. This Schedule specifies the bodies and offices which are subject to the power to abolish described in section 1.

# Schedule 2: Power to merge: bodies and offices

90. This Schedule specifies the groups of bodies and offices which are subject to the power to merge described in section 2.

#### Schedule 3: Power to modify constitutional arrangements: bodies and offices

91. This Schedule specifies the bodies and offices which are subject to the power to modify constitutional arrangements described in section 3.

# Schedule 4: Power to modify funding arrangements: bodies and offices

92. This Schedule specifies the bodies and offices which are subject to the power to modify funding arrangements described in section 4.

#### Schedule 5: Power to modify or transfer functions: bodies and offices

93. This Schedule specifies the bodies and offices which are subject to the power to modify or transfer functions described in section 5.

#### Schedule 6: Regional development agencies: consequential repeals

94. This Schedule contains consequential repeals in respect of the abolition of regional development agencies under section 30.