



## 2009 CHAPTER 9

### **Expenditure for purposes of sustainable development**

5.—(1) The Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister may incur expenditure for any purpose calculated to contribute to the achievement of sustainable development.

(2) In particular that Office may provide financial assistance to bodies which have among their objectives the promotion of sustainable development.

(3) In subsection (2) “financial assistance” means assistance by way of grants or loans on such conditions (including conditions as to repayment) as that Office may determine.

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#### **Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** S. 5: transfer of functions (8.5.2016) by [The Departments \(Transfer of Functions\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2016 \(S.R. 2016/76\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 1 Pt. 1](#) (with art. 9(2))

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 2009, Section 5.