

These notes refer to the Commissioner for Older People Act (Northern Ireland) 2011 (c.1) which received Royal Assent on 25 January 2011

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Section 20 - Disclosure of information by Commissioner

This Section provides for restrictions on the disclosure of information obtained by the Commissioner during a formal investigation. He or she can only disclose such information for:

- the purposes of the investigation and the report of an investigation;
- any civil proceedings or court proceedings involving a criminal offence;
- any enquiry with a view to the taking of proceedings for a criminal offence;
- any proceedings related to obstruction of the Commissioner; or for
- health and safety reasons of a person at risk.