

*These notes refer to the Justice Act (Northern Ireland)
2011 (c.24) which received Royal Assent on 4 May 2011*

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 9: Miscellaneous

Section 91: Bail: compassionate grounds

This section gives magistrates' courts the power to grant defendants compassionate bail. Previously, only the High Court or Crown Court had the jurisdiction to do so.