

2014 CHAPTER 11

PART 1 LEGAL AID

The Director of Legal Aid Casework

Annual report of Director

- **5.**—(1) As soon as reasonably practicable after the end of each financial year, the Director must prepare an annual report for the financial year.
- (2) The annual report must state how the Director has carried out the functions of the office in the financial year.
 - (3) The Director must send a copy of the report to the Department.
 - (4) The Department must—
 - (a) lay the copy of the report before the Assembly, and
 - (b) arrange for it to be published.
 - (5) In this section "financial year" means—
 - (a) the period beginning on the day on which section 2 comes into operation and ending on the following 31 March, and
 - (b) each successive period of 12 months.