

*These notes refer to the Welfare Reform and Pensions Act
1999 (c.30) which received Royal Assent on 11 November 1999*

WELFARE REFORM AND PENSIONS ACT 1999

EXPLANATORY NOTES

GLOSSARY

Contributions and Benefits Act

The Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992: contains most of the provisions for setting out the rules for **National Insurance contributions** and entitlement to social security benefits (with the main exception of **Jobseeker's Allowance**). It consolidated the existing legislation when it was introduced in 1992, and has been amended since then. Several sections of this Act have their effect by amending it. See also **the Administration Act**.