

*These notes refer to the Northern Ireland Act 2000 (c.1)
which received Royal Assent on 10th February 2000*

NORTHERN IRELAND ACT 2000

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENCEMENT

25. The Act (other than subsections (1) and (2) of section 9, which took effect on Royal Assent) came into force on 12th February 2000 by means of an Order made by the Secretary of State under section 9(2) ([S.I. 2000/396 \(C.10\)](#)).

<i>Date</i>	<i>Parliamentary Stage</i>	<i>Hansard Reference</i>
8 th February 2000	Commons Second Reading	Columns 128-180
8 th February 2000	Commons Committee, Report and Third Reading	Columns 180-220
9 th February 2000	Lords Second Reading	Columns 664-704
10 th February 2000	Lords Committee, Report and Third Reading	Columns 776-797