

*These notes refer to the Civil Partnership Act 2004 (c.33)
which received Royal Assent on 18th November 2004*

CIVIL PARTNERSHIP ACT 2004

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 2 – Civil Partnership: England and Wales

Introduction

Chapter 3 – Property and financial arrangements

Section 70: Assurance policy by civil partner for benefit of other civil partner etc.

129. This section extends the application of section 11 of the [Married Women's Property Act 1882 \(c.75\)](#) to civil partners, so that if a civil partner takes out a life insurance policy to provide for his or her civil partner or children the money payable under the policy is not to form part of the estate of the insured.