

These notes refer to the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (c.22) which received Royal Assent on 13 November 2008

HUMAN FERTILISATION AND EMBRYOLOGY ACT 2008

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 1: Amendments of Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990

Section 13: Consent to use or storage of gametes, embryos and human admixed embryos etc.

Non-medical fertility services

80. Paragraph 5 of Schedule 3 to the 1990 Act provides that a person's gametes must not be used for the purpose of treatment services unless there is an effective consent. The Act makes provision to also apply this condition where a person's gametes are used for the purpose of non-medical fertility services.