

*These notes refer to the Crime and Security Act 2010
(c.17) which received Royal Assent on 8 April 2010*

CRIME AND SECURITY ACT 2010

EXPLANATORY NOTES

BACKGROUND AND OVERVIEW

Air weapons

12. The Act amends the Firearms Act 1968 to create a new offence of failing to take reasonable precautions to prevent a person under the age of 18 from having unauthorised access to an air weapon.