

*These notes refer to the Child Poverty Act 2010 (c.9)
which received Royal Assent on 25 March 2010*

CHILD POVERTY ACT 2010

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENCEMENT DATES

137. [Section 31](#) of the Act makes provision for commencement. The provisions of the Act came into force on Royal Assent, except Part 2 (duties on local authorities and other bodies in England) and section 26 (free school lunches and milk), which come into force two months after Royal Assent.