*These notes refer to the Insurance Act* 2015 (*c.4*) *which received Royal Assent on* 12 *February* 2015

# **INSURANCE ACT 2015**

# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

### Part 7: General

### Section 22: Application etc of Parts 2 to 5

- 149. Sections 22(1) to 22(3) confirm that the provisions of the Act relating to fair presentation and good faith apply only to insurance contracts entered into after the end of the period of 18 months from the Act's entry into force, and to variations made after that same time period, to contracts entered into at any time. The provisions on warranties and other terms, and the remedies for fraudulent claims, apply only in relation to contracts made more than 18 months from the Act's entry into force, and variations to such contracts.
- 150. Section 22(4) provides that in general references in Parts 2 to 5 of the Act to something being done by or in relation to the insurer or the insured include its being done by or in relation to that person's agent.