

*These notes refer to the Charities Act (Northern Ireland)  
2013 (c.3) which received Royal Assent on 18 January 2013*

# Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2013

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### ***Section 3: Debt relief orders, debt relief restrictions orders and bankruptcy restrictions orders***

Section 3 amends sections 33, 86 and 87 of the 2008 Act to extend the list of persons disqualified from being trustees of a charity to include persons who are subject to a bankruptcy restrictions order or persons subject to moratorium period under a debt relief order or a debt relief restrictions order. The amendment is consequential to corresponding provision made by the Enterprise Act 2002 (Disqualification from Office: General) Order 2006 and Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Act 2007 (Consequential Amendments) Order 2012.