

*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

#### HANSARD REPORTS

The following table sets out the dates of the Hansard reports for each stage of the Act's passage through the Assembly.

<i>STAGE</i>	<i>DATE</i>
Introduction of Act to the Committee for Social Development	2 February 2012
Introduction to the Assembly	2 July 2012
Second Stage	11 September 2012
Committee Stage – evidence from the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland	13 September 2012
Committee Stage – evidence from the Northern Ireland Council for Voluntary Action	20 September 2012
Committee Stage – Departmental briefing	27 September 2012
Committee Stage – consideration of sections 1 – 11 and Schedules 1 and 2	4 October 2012
Committee Stage – consideration of proposed amendment to section 9	11 October 2012
Committee Stage – consideration of proposed amendment to section 3	18 October 2012
Committee's Report on the Act (Reference NIA 68/11 – 15)	23 October 2012
Consideration Stage	20 November 2012
Further Consideration Stage	3 December 2012
Final Stage	11 December 2012
Royal Assent	18 January 2013