

*These notes refer to the Reservoirs Act (Northern Ireland)
2015 (c.8) which received Royal Assent on 24 July 2015*

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 3 – Construction or alteration of controlled reservoirs

Section 54 – Defences: offences under [section 53\(1\)](#)

Section 54 sets out certain defences to the offences of failure to comply with a direction in a safety report or non compliance with a preliminary or final certificate.