

*These notes refer to the Mental Capacity Act (Northern Ireland)  
2016 (c.18) which received Royal Assent on 9 May 2016*

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### **Part 4 – Independent Mental Capacity Advocates**

##### ***Section 94 – Continuing duty of trust in relation to independent mental capacity advocate***

This section requires the HSC trust to instruct a new independent mental capacity advocate to represent and support P if for any reason an independent mental capacity advocate previously instructed is unable to do so (except where P has made a declaration under section 93).