

*These notes refer to the Criminal Justice and Police Act  
2001 (c.16) which received Royal Assent on 11th May 2001*

# **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND POLICE ACT 2001**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### ***Schedule 2: Provisions supplementary to Part 2***

#### **Part 3: Police and Criminal Evidence and the Terrorism Act**

##### **Authorisation for delay in notifying arrest**

201. The Act amends Section 56(2) (b) of PACE to provide for a reduction from superintendent to inspector of the rank of officer needed to authorise a delay in allowing an arrested person to notify someone of his arrest and detention.