



Northern Ireland Assembly Elections Act 2003

2003 CHAPTER 3

1 Dates of election, etc

- (1) The Northern Ireland (Date of Next Assembly Poll) Order 2001 (SI 2001/3959) is revoked.
- (2) In section 31 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998 (c. 47) (“the 1998 Act”), which provides for dates of Assembly elections and dissolutions, etc—
 - (a) ^{F1}
 - (b) in subsection (3), “or (2)” is omitted,
 - (c) in subsection (5), at the end there is added “, as shall any day on which section 1 of the Northern Ireland Act 2000 is in force”.
- (3) ^{F2}
- (4) ^{F2}
- (5) ^{F2}
- (6) ^{F2}
- (7) Subsection (1) does not revive any duty of the Secretary of State under section 32 of the 1998 Act (which provides for extraordinary elections) which he has already discharged.
- (8) In this section, “Assembly” means Northern Ireland Assembly.

Textual Amendments

F1 S. 1(2)(a) repealed (15.5.2003) by [Northern Ireland Assembly \(Elections and Periods of Suspension\) Act 2003 \(c. 12\), s. 1\(5\)](#)

F2 S. 1(3)-(6) repealed (15.5.2003) by [Northern Ireland Assembly \(Elections and Periods of Suspension\) Act 2003 \(c. 12\), s. 1\(5\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Northern Ireland Assembly Elections Act 2003, Section 1.