

*These notes refer to the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment  
Act 2005 (c.16) which received Royal Assent on 7 April 2005*

# **CLEAN NEIGHBOURHOODS AND ENVIRONMENT ACT 2005**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **THE ACT**

#### *Commentary on Sections*

#### **Part 6: Dogs**

#### *Chapter 1: Controls on Dogs*

#### **Fixed Penalty Notices**

#### *Section 60 Amount of fixed penalties*

184. **Section 60** enables a primary or secondary authority to specify the amount of fixed penalty in relation to their own dog control orders. Authorities are also able to allow for the payment of a lesser amount if the fine is paid within a specified time period. Where no amount is specified at the local level, the fixed penalty is set at £75. Section 60 also provides the appropriate person (as defined in section 66) with the power to make regulations relating to the fixed penalty - in particular, to prescribe a range within which penalties fixed at the local level must fall; the appropriate person may also (by order) substitute the figure of £75 referred to above with a new amount.