

*These notes refer to the Welfare Reform Act 2007
(c.5) which received Royal Assent on 3rd May 2007*

WELFARE REFORM ACT 2007

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND

Medical Examinations

43. A person can currently be referred for a medical examination and report by the Secretary of State and the eligible member of an Appeal Tribunal to a medical practitioner. The Act amends these powers to enable a person to be referred to a health care professional.