

These notes refer to the Criminal Justice and Immigration Act 2008 (c.4) which received Royal Assent on 8 May 2008

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND IMMIGRATION ACT 2008

EXPLANATORY NOTES

THE ACT

Commentary on Sections

Part 7: Violent offender orders

Section 109: Notification requirements: changes

629. This section sets out the requirements on a relevant offender to notify the police when there are changes to his notified details. This includes changes to any new requirements as provided for in section 108(2)(h) and (3). As a result of *subsection (2)(c)* an offender must notify the police, within 3 days, of the address of any premises in the UK at which he has stayed for a “qualifying period” and, which he has not already notified to the police. This place might be a friend or relative’s house or a hotel where he has stayed. A “qualifying period” is defined at *subsection (9)* and is a period of 7 days, or two or more periods, in any twelve months, which taken together amount to 7 days.
630. *Subsection (4)* allows an offender to notify the police before a notifiable event occurs. The advance notification must give a date when the event is expected to occur.