STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2003 No. 3333

EXTRADITION

The Extradition Act 2003 (Designation of Part 1 Territories) Order 2003

Made	-	-	-	-		18th December 2003
Coming	into	force	?	-	-	1st January 2004

Whereas a draft of this Order has been approved by each House of Parliament;

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 1 of the Extradition Act 2003(1), hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Extradition Act 2003 (Designation of Part 1 Territories) Order 2003 and shall come into force on 1st January 2004.

2.—(1) The territories set out in paragraph (2) are hereby designated for the purposes of Part 1 of the Extradition Act 2003.

(2) Those territories are—

Belgium, Denmark, Finland, Ireland, Portugal, Spain, Sweden.

Home Office 18th December 2003 Caroline Flint Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State

(1) 2003 c. 41.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

Part 1 of the Extradition Act 2003 introduces new extradition procedures. These procedures include a new statutory appeal process and a reduced involvement of the Secretary of State. Article 2 designates those territories with which the United Kingdom will be operating the new extradition procedures.