



Legitimacy Act (Northern Ireland) 1928

1928 CHAPTER 5

[^{F1}A1. Legitimacy of children of civil partners

- (1) A child is legitimate by virtue of a civil partnership between the natural parents of the child if, had the civil partnership been a marriage (and all other circumstances were the same), the child would have been legitimate at common law by virtue of the marriage.
- (2) Subsection (1) applies to a child born on or after 13th January 2020.]

F1 S. A1 inserted (13.1.2020) by [The Marriage \(Same-sex Couples\) and Civil Partnership \(Opposite-sex Couples\) \(Northern Ireland\) Regulations 2019 \(S.I. 2019/1514\)](#), regs. 1(2), **23(2)** (with regs. 6-9)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Legitimacy Act (Northern Ireland) 1928, Section A1.