## **HOUSING (WALES) MEASURE 2011**

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

Part 2: Registered Social Landlords

**Chapter 5- Miscellaneous and General Provisions** 

## Section 84 - Removal of officers

- 203. This section amends paragraphs 4 and 5 of Schedule 1 to the 1996 Act so as to expand the powers of the Welsh Ministers in relation to the removal of the officers of a RSL. The Welsh Ministers are currently able to remove only certain types of officers (for example, the directors and trustees of a RSL which is a registered charity). The amendments will enable the Welsh Ministers to remove any person who is an "officer" of a RSL within the meaning given by section 59 of the 1996 Act.
- 204. The Welsh Ministers may remove an officer on grounds such as bankruptcy, disqualification under the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986 or Charities Act 1983, or failure to act.