



2009 CHAPTER 2

Interpretation

5 In this Act—

“the relevant department”, in relation to a scheme, has the meaning given by section 1(3) or 2(3);

“OFMDFM” means the Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister;

“public body” means—

- (a) a Northern Ireland department;
- (b) a body established by or under a statutory provision;
- (c) a statutory undertaker within the meaning of [^{F1}the Planning Act (Northern Ireland) 2011] ; or
- (d) any other body which exercises functions wholly or mainly of a public nature and is prescribed by regulations made by OFMDFM, subject to negative resolution;

“scheme” means a scheme under section 1 or 2;

“specified”, in relation to a scheme, means specified in the scheme.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 5 substituted (13.2.2015 for specified purposes) by [Planning Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2011 \(c. 25\), s. 254\(1\)\(2\), Sch. 6 para. 103](#) (with s. 211); S.R. 2015/49, art. 2, Sch.

Status:

Point in time view as at 13/02/2015. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Financial Assistance Act (Northern Ireland) 2009, Section 5.