

*These notes refer to the Welfare Reform Act (Northern Ireland)
2010 (c.13) which received Royal Assent on 13 August 2010*

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

HANSARD REPORTS

The following table sets out the dates of the Hansard reports for each stage of the Act's passage through the Assembly.

<i>STAGE</i>	<i>DATE</i>
Introduction of the Act to the Committee for Social Development	1 April 2010
Introduction to the Assembly	12 April 2010
Second Stage debate	20 April 2010
Committee Stage – evidence from Advice NI	11 May 2010
Committee Stage - evidence from Citizens Advice Bureau, Law Centre (NI) and Gingerbread NI.	13 May 2010
Committee Stage- evidence from Age NI	
Consideration of sections 1 to 17	20 May 2010
Committee Stage – Submission from Law Centre (NI) which included suggested amendments to the Welfare Reform Bill.	
Consideration of sections 18 to 37 and Schedules 1 to 4	25 May 2010
Committee's report on the Act - Report number 61/09/10R	3 June 2010
Consideration Stage in the Assembly	14 June 2010
Further Consideration Stage	22 June 2010
Final Stage	30 June 2010
Royal Assent	13 August 2010