

These notes refer to the Allowances to Members of the Assembly (Repeal) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011 (c.8) which received Royal Assent on 10 February 2011

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

BROADER POLICY OBJECTIVES

Ill-health Retirement Allowance

11. The 2000 Act allows the Commission to pay an amount to a Member who retires through ill-health, calculated using exactly the same matrix as for resettlement allowance (see above). In accordance with the SSRB's recommendation, the Commission is recommending that ill-health retirement allowance be renamed as ill-health retirement payment and calculated in the same way as the resettlement payment.