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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.

STAGE	DATE
Introduction of the Act to the Committee for the Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister	6 June 2012
Introduction to the Assembly	12 June 2012
Second Stage debate	25 June 2012
Committee Stage – briefing from OFMDFM officials in relation to the consultation process	26 June 2012
Committee Stage – briefing from the Inquiry Chairperson and inquiry team members	4 July 2012
Committee Stage- evidence from Northern Ireland Human Rights Commission and Survivors and Victims of Institutional Abuse (SAVIA)	5 September 2012
Committee Stage – evidence from Contact NI/Nexus/Victim Support, Amnesty International UK and Ciaran McAteer and Co Solicitors	12 September 2012
Assembly agreement to extension of Committee Stage	17 September 2012
Committee Stage – evidence from Barnardo's, Sisters of Nazareth and De La Salle Order	19 September 2012
Committee Stage – briefing from OFMDFM officials and separately from the Inquiry Chairperson	26 September 2012
Informal section by section consideration	10 October 2012
Formal section by section consideration	17 October 2012
Committee's report on the Act - Report number NIA 79/11-15	24 October 2012

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STAGE	DATE
Consideration Stage in the Assembly	20 November 2012
Further Consideration Stage	3 December 2012
Final Stage	11 December 2012
Royal Assent	18 January 2013