# FINANCIAL PROVISIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2014

**EXPLANATORY NOTES** 

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#### **BACKGROUND AND POLICY OBJECTIVES**

#### **CONSULTATION**

### **OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

#### **OVERVIEW**

#### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

- Section 1: Repeal of the Development Loans (Agriculture and Fisheries) Act (Northern Ireland) 1968
- Section 2: Grants payable in relation to expenses
- Section 3: Rating of owners instead of occupiers in certain cases
- Section 4: Repeal of Articles 23 and 24 of the Rates (Northern Ireland) Order 1977
- Section 5: Power of Department of Finance and Personnel to require information
- Section 6: Discount on rates on dwellings
- Section 7: Temporary reduction of rates for specified hereditaments
- Section 8: Payment of interest on funds held in Court
- Section 9: Statutory power to charge for costs
- Section 10: Consistency between Accounts and Audit of Health and Social Care Bodies
- Section 11: Statutory footing and empowering statutory authority

# These notes refer to the Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 2014 (c.6)

Section 12: Repeals

Section 13: Commencement

Section 14: Short Title

## **HANSARD REPORTS**