

*These notes refer to the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland)
2016 (c.1) which received Royal Assent on 15 January 2016*

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

ANNEX: DEFINITIONS

- *the 1995 Order* means the Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1995 ([S.I. 1995/3213 \(N.I. 22\)](#))
- *the 2005 Order* means the Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 ([S.I. 2005/255 \(N.I. 1\)](#))
- *the 2012 Act* means the [Pensions Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2012 \(c. 3\)](#)
- *the 2015 Act* means the [Pensions Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2015 \(c. 5\)](#)
- *the Department* means the Department for Social Development
- *the Pension Schemes Act* means the [Pension Schemes \(Northern Ireland\) Act 1993 \(c. 49\)](#)
- *the Pensions (No. 2) Act* means the [Pensions \(No. 2\) Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2008 \(c. 13\)](#)