

*These notes refer to the Mental Capacity Act (Northern Ireland)  
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# Mental Capacity Act (Northern Ireland) 2016

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### **Part 10 – Criminal Justice**

##### ***Chapter 4 – Detention under a Public Protection Order With Restrictions***

##### ***Section 193- Reports by responsible medical practitioner***

This section provides that where a public protection order with restrictions is in force in respect of a person, the responsible medical practitioner must examine that person and make a report to the Department of Justice at such intervals as the Department of Justice directs. Such intervals must not exceed one year.