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### EXPLANATORY NOTES

#### HANSARD REPORTS

31. The following table sets out the dates of the Hansard reports for each stage of the Act's passage through the Assembly.

<i>STAGE</i>	<i>DATE</i>
Committee for Justice – Departmental briefing on contents of the Act	23 June 2014
Introduction to the Assembly	30 June 2015
Second Stage debate	8 September 2015
Committee Stage – Oral Evidence from the Prisoner Ombudsman for Northern Ireland	1 October 2015
Committee Stage – Oral Evidence from NIACRO; NIHRC; PSNI; and Ineqe Group	5 November 2015
Committee Stage – Oral Evidence from the Northern Ireland Ombudsman	12 November 2015
Committee Stage – Oral Evidence from Lord Morrow MLA; British Association for Shooting and Conservation, Countryside Alliance Ireland and Gun Trade Guild NI; and Basil McCrea MLA	17 November 2015
Committee Stage – Oral Evidence from Department of Justice and Department of Agriculture officials	26 November 2015
Committee Stage – Oral Evidence from Department of Justice officials	3 December 2015
Committee Stage – Informal Section-by-Section Consideration	3 and 10 December 2015
Committee Stage – Oral Evidence from Department of Justice officials	7 January 2016
Committee Stage – Formal Section-by-Section Consideration	7 January 2016

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Committee Stage – Committee's Report (number NIA 57/11-16)	14 January 2016
Consideration Stage in the Assembly	10 February 2016
Further Consideration Stage	1 March 2016
Final Stage	14 March 2016
Royal Assent	12 May 2016