

*These notes refer to the Welfare Reform and Pensions Act
1999 (c.30) which received Royal Assent on 11 November 1999*

WELFARE REFORM AND PENSIONS ACT 1999

EXPLANATORY NOTES

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Sections 66-67: Disability Benefits

Sections 66 and 67 make three changes to disability benefits. They:

- introduce regulation-making powers as to entitlement to Attendance Allowance;
- amend the terminology relating to awards made for an indefinite period; and
- extend entitlement to the higher rate mobility component of Disability Living Allowance to 3-and 4-year-old severely disabled children with serious mobility problems.