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RAILWAYS AND TRANSPORT SAFETY ACT 2003

EXPLANATORY NOTES

TERRITORIAL EXTENT

9. This Act extends to the whole of the United Kingdom, with the following exceptions:

Scotland

10. The Act extends to Scotland except:

- Part 1 (Investigation of Railway Accidents) in so far as it applies to tramways
- Part 3 (British Transport Police) in so far as it applies to tramways
- Section 28 (Exercise of powers by civilians)
- Section 86 (Shipping: right of entry)
- Section 98 (Aviation: right of entry)
- Section 109 (Road traffic: fixed penalty)
- Section 111 (Highways: snow and ice)

Northern Ireland

11. The Act extends to Northern Ireland except:

- Part 2 (Office of Rail Regulation)
- Part 3 (British Transport Police)
- Section 104 (Office of Rail Regulation: general duties)
- Section 105 (Railways safety levy)
- Section 106 (Railway security services)
- Section 107 and Schedule 7 (Road Traffic: testing for drink and drugs)
- Section 108 (Traffic regulation on long distance routes)
- Section 109 (Road traffic: fixed penalty)
- Section 110 (Seat belts: delivery drivers)
- Section 111 (Highways: snow and ice)
- Section 114 (Railways in London: transfers)
- Section 115 (Railways in London: information)

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Territorial application: Wales

12. This Act does not affect any of the National Assembly of Wales's powers. However, section 111 will impose a duty on the National Assembly to remove snow and ice from those highways for which it has responsibility.