

*These notes refer to the Extradition Act 2003 (c.41)
which received Royal Assent on 20th November 2003*

EXTRADITION ACT 2003

EXPLANATORY NOTES

TERRITORIAL APPLICATION: WALES

Part 1

Extradition to Category 1 Territories

Section 1: Extradition to category 1 territories

16. This section defines the territories that are covered by Part 1 of the Act.
17. *Subsections (1) and (2)* explain that Part 1 of the Act deals with extradition from the United Kingdom to those territories designated as category 1 territories by order made by the Secretary of State. Under *subsection (3)* a territory may not be designated as a category 1 territory if the death penalty is retained as a punishment under the general criminal law of that country.