

*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 2

Extradition to Category 2 Territories

Section 117: Extradition where no appeal

335. This section provides the time limits for extraditing a person who is subject to an extradition order and has not appealed against the decision. *Subsection (1)* states that this section applies where the Secretary of State has ordered the person's extradition and no appeal has been lodged within 14 days, ignoring any powers of a court to extend the period for giving notice of appeal or to grant leave to take a step out of time (see *subsection (4)*). The person must be extradited within 28 days of the date on which the order was made (*subsection (2)*). The judge must, on a person's application, order his discharge if this deadline is not met, unless reasonable cause is shown for the delay (*subsection (3)*).