

*These notes refer to the Justice (Northern Ireland) Act  
2004 (c.4) which received Royal Assent on 13 May 2004*

## **JUSTICE (NORTHERN IRELAND) ACT 2004**

### **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

#### **HANSARD REFERENCES**

The following table sets out the dates and Hansard references for each stage of this Act's passage through Parliament.

<i>STAGE</i>	<i>DATE</i>	<i>HANSARD REFERENCE</i>
<b>House of Lords</b>		
Introduction	4 December 2003	Vol 655 Col 488
Second Reading	16 December 2003	Vol 655 Col 1091 - 1120
Committee	15 January 2004	Vol 656 Col 682 – 706 and Col 725 - 740
	19 January 2004	Vol 656 Col 844-858 and Col 871 – 887
Report	3 February 2004	Vol 657 Col 574 – 616
Third Reading	10 February 2004	Vol 657 Col 1046 – 1060
Lords Consideration of Commons Amendments	29 April 2004	Vol 660 Col 891-901
<b>House of Commons</b>		
Second Reading	10 March 2004	Vol 418 Col 1531 - 1630
Committee	25 March 2004	House of Commons Standing Committee D
	1 April 2004	
Report and Third Reading	26 April 2004	Vol 420 Col 637 - 719
<b>Royal Assent – 13 May 2004</b>		House of Lords Hansard Vol 661 Col 506
		House of Commons Hansard Vol 421 Col 536