FORCED MARRIAGE (CIVIL PROTECTION) ACT 2007

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Schedule 1 - Protection against forced marriage: Northern Ireland

Part 4 – Supplementary

Guidance

111. *Paragraph 13* corresponds to section 63Q in section 1 in that it makes provision for the Department of Finance and Personnel to issue guidance on the forced marriage legislation and more generally about the issue of forced marriage.

Orders

112. *Paragraph 14* makes provision about the purpose and content of, and method of making, an order under the Schedule.

Other protection or assistance against forced marriage

113. *Paragraph 15* makes clear that the Schedule does not affect any other protections that are available to a person who has been, or is in danger of being, forced into marriage.

Interpretation

114. Paragraph 16 clarifies some of the terminology used in Schedule 1.