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EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

1. These Explanatory Notes relate to the Local Government Act 2010 which received Royal Assent on 16 December 2010. They have been prepared by the Department for Communities and Local Government in order to assist the reader in understanding the Act. They do not form part of the Act and have not been endorsed by Parliament.
2. The Notes need to be read in conjunction with the Act. They are not, and are not meant to be, a comprehensive description of the Act. So where a section or part of a section does not seem to require any explanation or comment, none is given.
3. The Act extends to England and Wales, but applies in relation to England only.