

*These notes refer to the Public Bodies Act 2011 (c.24)
which received Royal Assent on 14th December 2011*

PUBLIC BODIES ACT 2011

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY

Part 1: General Order-Making Powers

Section 10: Consultation

34. *Subsection (1)* requires a Minister who proposes to make an order under sections 1 to 5 to consult the persons described. *Subsection (2)* requires a Minister to carry out any appropriate further consultation if, following a consultation conducted under subsection (1), the Minister considers it appropriate to change all or part of the proposal. *Subsection (3)* provides that consultation carried out before the commencement of the section may be considered to meet the requirements of the section. *Subsection (4)* states that the requirement to consult a body or office affected by proposals under *subsection (1)(a)* does not apply where a body has no members or an office is vacant.