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EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

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Section 40: Interpretation of Part 1

204. *Section 40* provides details of how certain other terms are to be interpreted for the purposes of Part 1. In particular, regulations under this section may prescribe what is meant by disabled, severely disabled and regular and substantial caring responsibilities.