

*These notes refer to the Health and Social Care Act 2012
(c.7) which received Royal Assent on 27 March 2012*

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE ACT 2012

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 2 – Further provision about public health

Section 59 – Repeal of AIDS (Control) Act 1987

634. This section repeals the AIDS (Control) Act 1987. The Act concerns the collection of information about numbers of HIV cases and deaths, but for some time, laboratories and clinics have voluntarily reported more accurate and relevant data than the Act calls for. As a result, the Department of Health has not used the Act for several years and now regards it as redundant.
635. The AIDS (Control) (Northern Ireland) Order 1987 is also revoked.