

# PARLIAMENT & ASSEMBLIES

## LEGISLATION & TREATIES

### Northern Ireland Assembly NORTHERN IRELAND ASSEMBLY THE NORTHERN IRELAND (ROYAL ASSENT TO BILLS) ORDER 1999

The following Letters Patent were signed by Her Majesty The Queen on 17th July 2015 in respect of the Reservoirs Bill (31/11-15)  
“ELIZABETH THE SECOND by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Our other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith, To the Members of the Northern Ireland Assembly  
GREETING:

WHEREAS you the Members of the Northern Ireland Assembly have passed a Bill the short title of which is set out in the Schedule hereto but the said Bill does not become an Act of the Northern Ireland Assembly without Our Royal Assent;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the Northern Ireland Act 1998 the said Bill has been submitted to Us by the Rt Hon Theresa Villiers MP one of Our Principal Secretaries of State for our Royal Assent;

We have therefore caused these Our Letters Patent to be made and have signed them and by them We give our Royal Assent to the said Bill COMMANDING Master Charles William Grant Redpath the Clerk of the Crown for Northern Ireland to seal these Our Letters with the Great Seal of Northern Ireland AND ALSO COMMANDING that these Our Letters be notified to the Presiding Officer of the Northern Ireland Assembly;

AND FINALLY WE declare that, in accordance with the Northern Ireland Act 1998, at the beginning of the day on which Our Royal Assent has been notified as aforesaid the said Bill shall become an Act of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

In Witness whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent

WITNESS Ourselves at Buckingham Palace  
on the 17th day of July 2015

in the sixty third year of Our Reign

By the Queen Herself Signed with Her own Hand”

#### SCHEDULE

##### THE RESERVOIRS BILL

A Bill to make provision about the regulation of the management, construction and alteration of certain reservoirs, in particular in relation to their safety to collect and store water; and for connected purposes.

(2399719)

### Northern Ireland Assembly NORTHERN IRELAND ASSEMBLY THE NORTHERN IRELAND (ROYAL ASSENT TO BILLS) ORDER 1999

The following Letters Patent were signed by Her Majesty The Queen on 24th July 2015 in respect of the Budget (No. 2) Bill (53/11-16)

“ELIZABETH THE SECOND by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Our other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith, To the Members of the Northern Ireland Assembly  
GREETING:

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AND FINALLY WE declare that, in accordance with the Northern Ireland Act 1998, at the beginning of the day on which Our Royal Assent has been notified as aforesaid the said Bill shall become an Act of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

In Witness whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent

WITNESS Ourselves at Buckingham Palace

on the 21st day of July 2015

in the sixty third year of Our Reign

By the Queen Herself Signed with Her own Hand”

#### SCHEDULE

##### THE BUDGET (No 2) BILL

A Bill to authorise the issue out of the Consolidated Fund of certain sums for the service of the year ending 31st March 2016; to appropriate those sums for specified purposes; to authorise the Department of Finance and Personnel to borrow on the credit of the appropriated sums; to authorise the use for the public service of certain resources (including accruing resources) for the year ending 31st March 2016; and to repeal certain spent provisions. (2399721)

### Northern Ireland Assembly NORTHERN IRELAND ASSEMBLY THE NORTHERN IRELAND (ROYAL ASSENT TO BILLS) ORDER 1999

The following Letters Patent were signed by Her Majesty The Queen on 21st July 2015 in respect of the Justice (No. 2) Bill (53/11-16)

“ELIZABETH THE SECOND by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Our other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith, To the Members of the Northern Ireland Assembly  
GREETING:

WHEREAS you the Members of the Northern Ireland Assembly have passed a Bill the short title of which is set out in the Schedule hereto but the said Bill does not become an Act of the Northern Ireland Assembly without Our Royal Assent;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the Northern Ireland Act 1998 the said Bill has been submitted to Us by the Rt Hon Theresa Villiers MP one of Our Principal Secretaries of State for our Royal Assent;

We have therefore caused these Our Letters Patent to be made and have signed them and by them We give our Royal Assent to the said Bill COMMANDING Master Charles William Grant Redpath the Clerk of the Crown for Northern Ireland to seal these Our Letters with the Great Seal of Northern Ireland AND ALSO COMMANDING that these Our Letters be notified to the Presiding Officer of the Northern Ireland Assembly;

AND FINALLY WE declare that, in accordance with the Northern Ireland Act 1998, at the beginning of the day on which Our Royal Assent has been notified as aforesaid the said Bill shall become an Act of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

In Witness whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent

WITNESS Ourselves at Buckingham Palace

on the 21st day of July 2015

in the sixty third year of Our Reign

By the Queen Herself Signed with Her own Hand”

#### SCHEDULE

##### THE JUSTICE BILL

A Bill to provide for a single jurisdiction for county courts and magistrates’ courts; to amend the law on committal for trial; to provide for prosecutorial fines; to make provision in relation to victims and witnesses in criminal proceedings and investigations; to amend the law on criminal records and live links; to provide for violent offences prevention orders; to make other amendments relating to the administration of civil and criminal justice; and for connected purposes. (2399723)