*These notes refer to the Disability Discrimination Act* 2005 (c.13) which received Royal Assent on 7 April 2005

## **DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION ACT 2005**

### **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

#### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

#### Section 8: Enforcement and penalties

# New section 47D: Penalty for using rail vehicle without accessibility compliance certificate

97. New section 47D allows the Secretary of State to require an operator to pay a penalty if he uses a regulated rail vehicle that does not have a valid accessibility compliance certificate issued under section 47A to carry passengers. New sections 47J to 47L contain detailed provision about penalties.