Draft Order laid before Parliament under section 19(2) of the Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998, for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.

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2008 No. xxx

PRISONS

The Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998 (Specified Organisations) Order 2008

Made - - - -	*2008*
Coming into force - -	*2008*

The Secretary of State believes that the organisations specified in the Schedule to this Order are concerned in terrorism connected with the affairs of Northern Ireland, or in promoting or encouraging it, and that they have not established or are not maintaining a complete and unequivocal ceasefire(**1**).

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3(8) of the Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998.

In accordance with section 19(2) of that Act, a draft of this instrument was laid before Parliament and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998 (Specified Organisations) Order 2008 and shall come into force on xxx 2008.

(2) The Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998 (Specified Organisations) Order 2005(**2**) is revoked.

2. The organisations specified in the Schedule are specified organisations for the purposes of the Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998.

Northern Ireland Office
Date

One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State

(**1**) See section 3(10) of the Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998 (c.35) which requires the Secretary of State to review the list of specified organisations.
(**2**) S.I. 2005/2558.