STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2009 No. 324 (C. 22)

CHARITIES

The Charities (2008 Act) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 2009

Made - - - - *22nd September 2009*

The Department for Social Development makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 185(1) of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008(**1**).

Citation and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Charities (2008 Act) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 2009.

(2) In this Order, any reference to a numbered section or Schedule is a reference to a section of, or Schedule to, the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008.

Appointed day

2. 25th September 2009 is the day appointed for the coming into operation of—

(a) section 1 (meaning of "charity");

(b) section 2 (meaning of "charitable purpose");

(c) section 3 (the "public benefit" test);

(d) section 12 (1) and (2) (the Charity Tribunal for Northern Ireland);

(e) section 13(1) to (4) and (8) and (9) (practice and procedure); and

(f) Schedule 2 (the Charity Tribunal).

(**1**) 2008 c. 12 (N.I.)