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Martyn's Law

Background and current status

Who Martyn's Law will apply to

What you need to do and by when



Martyn's Law – purpose/aims

 Martyn's Law, officially known as The Terrorism (Protection of Premises) Bill, arose as a result of the campaign of Figen Murray MBE, the mother of Martyn Hett, one of the 22 people killed in the Manchester Arena terrorist attack on 17 May 2017. Objective – to enhance preparedness and protection from terrorist attacks in public venues

Martyn's Law – current status

- The bill has cross party support
- Home Office Select Committee and Opposition amendments are being considered
- Martyn's Law expected to come into force this year with some "lead in" time



Martyn's Law – who will it apply to?

- Publicly accessible premises, venues, spaces and (one off & regular) events
- Current proposal is
 - Standard Tier (200-799 people)
 - Enhanced Tier (800+ people)



Martyn's Law – what will be the duties, obligations and exemptions?

- Appointment of Regulatory (SIA), Registration/Notification Requirements and Responsible Person roles
- Qualified Duty Reasonable Practicability

- Extent of duty depend on whether premises/event are Standard or Enhanced tier
- Likely Exemptions & Limited Requirements

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