



# Criminal Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 1953

## 1953 CHAPTER 14

### PART I

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS AS TO THE PUNISHMENT AND TREATMENT OF OFFENDERS

##### PUNISHMENT GENERALLY

#### **4 Taking of other offences into consideration in imposing punishment.**

- (1) Where a person, on being convicted of an offence, admits himself guilty of any other offence and asks the court to take it into consideration in imposing punishment, the court may, unless objection is made by or on behalf of the prosecutor or unless it is an offence in respect of which the court has not jurisdiction to award punishment, take it into consideration accordingly.
- (2) If the court takes an offence into consideration, a note of that fact shall be made and filed with the record of the sentence, and the accused shall not be prosecuted for that offence, unless his conviction is reversed or quashed or otherwise annulled.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Criminal Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 1953, Section 4.