



# Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1962

## 1962 CHAPTER 14

### PART IX

#### QUESTIONING OF ELECTIONS

##### **94 Report as to candidate guilty of a corrupt or illegal practice.**

- (1) The report of an election court under section seventy-seven or section eighty-one shall state whether any corrupt or illegal practice has or has not been proved to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at the election, and the nature of the corrupt or illegal practice.
- (2) For the purposes of sections ninety-five and ninety-six, if it is reported that a corrupt or illegal practice was committed with the knowledge and consent of a candidate, he shall be treated as having been reported personally guilty of that corrupt or illegal practice.
- (3) The report shall also state whether any of the candidates has been guilty by his agents of any corrupt or illegal practice in reference to the election; but if a candidate is reported guilty by his agents of treating, undue influence or any illegal practice, and the court further reports that the candidate has proved to the court—
  - (a) that no corrupt or illegal practice was committed at the election by the candidate or his election agent and the offences mentioned in the report were committed contrary to the orders and without the sanction or connivance of the candidate or his election agent; and
  - (b) that the candidate and his election agent took all reasonable means for preventing the commission of corrupt and illegal practices at the election; and
  - (c) that the offences mentioned in the report were of a trivial, unimportant and limited character; and
  - (d) that in all other respects the election was free from any corrupt or illegal practice on the part of the candidate and of his agents;

then the candidate shall not be treated for the purposes of section ninety-five as having been reported guilty by his agents of the offences mentioned in the report.

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- (4) The provisions of sections ninety-five and ninety-six as to the consequences of the report that a candidate was guilty by his agents of a corrupt or illegal practice shall have effect subject to the express provisions of this Act relating to particular acts which are declared to be corrupt or illegal practices.

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- Act applied by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 11 para. 5\(3\)](#)
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- Act modified by [S.I. 2013/3156 art. 8](#)

### Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 11(1A)(aa) inserted by [S.I. 2023/290 art. 2\(2\)](#)
- s. 11(4AA)-(4AC) inserted by [S.I. 2010/1178 art. 2\(4\)](#)
- s. 11A-11K inserted by [S.I. 2010/1178 art. 3](#)
- s. 14A(2A) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 2](#)
- s. 34(4A) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 4](#)
- s. 37A inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 5](#)
- s. 39(3)(ca) inserted by [2022 c. 37 s. 22\(2\)](#)
- s. 40(1A) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 8\(2\)](#)
- s. 40A inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 9](#)
- s. 41(1A) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 10\(3\)](#)
- s. 42(1ZA)(1ZB) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 11\(4\)](#)
- s. 42(1ZC) inserted by [S.I. 2019/564 art. 2](#)
- s. 42(7) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 11\(6\)](#)
- s. 46(3)(ca) inserted by [S.I. 2019/564 art. 3](#)
- s. 52A52B inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 16](#)
- s. 52B(1A) inserted by [2022 c. 37 s. 20\(7\)](#)
- s. 57A inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 18](#)
- s. 79(1A) inserted by [S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6\(2\)](#)
- s. 96(3A)(b) word omitted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 2\(a\)](#)
- s. 96(3A)(ba) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 2\(b\)](#)
- s. 105(9) inserted by [2023 c. 32 Sch. 1 para. 1\(2\)](#)
- s. 106(1A) inserted by [2023 c. 32 Sch. 1 para. 1\(3\)](#)
- s. 108(5) inserted by [2023 c. 32 Sch. 1 para. 1\(4\)](#)
- s. 111(2A)(ca) inserted by [2023 c. 12 s. 2\(1\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 111(2B) inserted by [2023 c. 32 Sch. 1 para. 1\(5\)](#)
- s. 112(1A)(b) word omitted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 4\(a\)](#)
- s. 112(1A)(ba) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 4\(b\)](#)
- s. 112(3) repealed by [2010 c. 23 Sch. 2](#)
- s. 118(4) inserted by [2023 c. 32 Sch. 1 para. 1\(7\)](#)
- s. 122A inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 41](#)
- s. 130(3)-(3A) substituted for s. 130(3) by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 43\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 25(1) Sch. 9 para. 25 renumbered as Sch. 9 para. 25(1) by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 37](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 5ZA and cross-heading inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 25](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 12A(1A) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 26\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 12A(6A) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 26\(5\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 27(3A)-(3F) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 27\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 27(5)(6) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 27\(4\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 26A inserted by [2023 c. 12 s. 2\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 4A inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 30](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 5A(1)(c) and word inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 31\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 5A(2)(3) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 31\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 12A(7A) inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 32](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 17A inserted by [S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 35](#)

	– Sch. 9 para. 25(2)(3) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 37</a>
	– Sch. 10 Form 4 omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 20(a)</a>
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	– Sch. 9 para. 5A(1)(b) word omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 31(2)</a>
	– Sch. 9 para. 32A(3)(4) words inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 39(3)</a>
	– Sch. 10 Form 5 words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 20(b)</a>
	– Sch. 7 Appendix Form 7A substituted by <a href="#">S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(11)Sch. 7</a>
	– Sch. 8 Appendix Form 8 substituted by <a href="#">S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(12)Sch. 8</a>
	– Sch. 9 Appendix Form 9 substituted by <a href="#">S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(13)Sch. 9</a>
	– Sch. 10 Appendix Form 10 substituted by <a href="#">S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(14)Sch. 10</a>
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	– Sch. 3A para. 10(1) Sch. 3A para. 10 renumbered as Sch. 3A para. 10(1) by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(4)(a)</a>
	– Sch. 3A inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 19</a>
	– Sch. 3A para. 10(2) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(4)(a)</a>
	– Sch. 3A para. 11(c) words inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(4)(b)</a>
	– Sch. 3B inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 19</a>
	– Sch. 3B para. 13 inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2019/564 art. 4</a>
	– Sch. 4 Appendix Form 6 substituted by <a href="#">S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(8)Sch. 4</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 26 amendment to earlier affecting provision 2001 c. 7 Sch. para. 19 by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1116 art. 9(5)</a>
	– Sch. 5 form 5ZA amendment to earlier affecting provision SI 2013/3156 Sch. by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1116 art. 10(4)</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 59 applied (with modifications) by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 50(7)(c)(8)</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 16A(2) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 7</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 21(1) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 10</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 26(3ZC) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 16</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 26(4) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 18</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 34(1)(e) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 22(4)</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 36(5)(a) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 25</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 43(1) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 35</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 44 excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 35</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 45 excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 35</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 64(1)-(6) excluded by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 40</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 21(1) excluded in part by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 11</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 16B and cross-heading inserted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 9</a>
	– Sch. 5 rule 22(5) inserted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 10</a>
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	– Sch. 5 rule 4(ca) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 48</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 12(5)(6) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 52(3)</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 16(4) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 54(4)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 16A inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 55</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 21(3)(4) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 58</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 26(3)(e) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 60(4)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 26(3ZC)(3ZD)(3ZE) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 60(5)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 27(1A) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 61(3)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 32(5) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 66</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 34(6)(j)(k)(l) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 68(4)(b)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 34(6A) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 68(5)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 34A inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 69</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 25(2A) inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1880 art. 3(2)(b)</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 12A(2)(d) and word inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2020/635 art. 7(b)(ii)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 56A inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2020/635 art. 8</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 37A(10A)(10B) inserted by 2001 c. 7 Sch. para. 24A (as inserted) by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1116 art. 9(6)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 1 modified by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 4</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 29(1) modified by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 19(3)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 32 modified by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 20(2)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 41(1) modified by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 29(3)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 58(1) modified by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 38(1)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 59 modified by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 38(2)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 59(7) modified by <a href="#">2011 c. 1 Sch. 8 para. 38(3)</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 26(5)-(10) omitted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 12(5)</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 26(3)(b) omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 60(3)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 34(1)(a) omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 68(2)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 60(2)(3) omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 77(4)</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 61-64 substituted for Sch. 5 rule 61 by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 78</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 5(2)(a) word inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2020/635 art. 3(a)(i)</a>

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– Sch. 5 rule 29(3)(a) word omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 63</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 38(2) words inserted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 18</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 56A heading words inserted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 20(4)</a>
– Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms Form 10 words inserted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 22(b)</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 45(2A) words inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2018/699 reg. 4(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 9(3) words inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2020/635 art. 4(a)</a>
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– Sch. 5 rule 10(3) words inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2020/635 art. 5(b)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 12(2) words inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2020/635 art. 6(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 12A(1) words inserted by <a href="#">S.I. 2020/635 art. 7(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 36(3) words omitted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 16(4)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 5(3) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/1178 art. 4(2)(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 27(4) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 61(5)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 30(2)(a) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 64</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 34(6)(a) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 68(4)(c)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 41(1)(e) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 70(4)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 58(1)(d) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 75(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 60 heading words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 77(2)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 25(1) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(8)(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 25(2) words omitted by <a href="#">S.I. 2014/1880 art. 3(2)(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 16A(3) words repealed by <a href="#">S.I. 2018/1310 Sch. 1 Pt. 1</a> (This S.I. is amended by <a href="#">S.I. 2019/1389, reg. 2</a> )
– Sch. 5 rule 12(2A) words substituted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 8(a)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 12(2A) words substituted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 8(b)</a>
– Sch. 5 rule 23(3) words substituted by <a href="#">2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 11</a>

- Sch. 5 rule 34(3) words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 14(4)
- Sch. 5 rule 34(6) words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 14(8)(a)
- Sch. 5 rule 35(2) words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 15
- Sch. 5 rule 36(2)(b)(i) words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 16(2)
- Sch. 5 rule 36(2A) words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 16(3)
- Sch. 5 rule 37(2) words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 17(a)
- Sch. 5 rule 56A words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 20(2)
- Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms Form 10 words substituted by 2022 c. 37 Sch. 6 para. 22(a)
- Sch. 5 rule 1(2) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 45
- Sch. 5 rule 1(3) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 46
- Sch. 5 rule 19(2) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 56
- Sch. 5 rule 27(1)(b) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 61(2)
- Sch. 5 rule 28(a) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 62
- Sch. 5 rule 34(1)(c) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 68(3)
- Sch. 5 rule 34(8)(c) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 68(6)
- Sch. 5 rule 41(2) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 70(5)
- Sch. 5 rule 44(2) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 71(3)
- Sch. 5 rule 57(2) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 74
- Sch. 5 rule 59(1)(b) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 76(2)
- Sch. 5 rule 59(2) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 76(3)
- Sch. 5 rule 59(7) words substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 76(5)
- Sch. 5 rule 21(1) words substituted by S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(7)
- Sch. 5 rule 26(3)(c) words substituted by S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(9)
- Sch. 5 rule 21(2) words substituted by S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(2)
- Sch. 5 rule 45(2A) words substituted by S.I. 2018/699 reg. 4(b)
- Sch. 5 rule 34(6)(b) words substituted by S.I. 2022/47 reg. 2(2)
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- Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms form 5 asterisk and words inserted by S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(16)(b)
- Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms form 5 asterisk inserted by S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(16)(a)
- Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms Form 6A inserted by S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(17)Sch
- Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms Form 7A inserted by S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(18)Sch
- Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms substituted by S.I. 2010/2977 Sch. 1 para. 79
- Sch. 5 Appendix Form 6A substituted by S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(9)Sch. 5
- Sch. 5 Appendix of Forms form 5 words inserted by S.I. 2014/1116 art. 6(16)(c)
- Sch. 6 Appendix Form 7 substituted by S.I. 2015/566 art. 2(10)Sch. 6

### **Commencement Orders yet to be applied to the Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1962**

Commencement Orders bringing legislation that affects this Act into force:

- S.I. 2011/1418 art. 2 commences (2010 c. 23)
- S.R. 2014/153 art. 3Sch. 2 commences (2014 c. 8)
- S.R. 2016/387 art. 2 commences (2015 c. 9 (N.I.))