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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 27

#### MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS: GENERAL

##### *Theft Act 1968 (c. 60)*

- 28 In section 31 (effect on civil proceedings and rights), in subsection (1)—
- (a) for “wife or husband” substitute “ spouse or civil partner ”, and
  - (b) for “married after the making of the statement or admission) against the wife or husband” substitute “ married or became civil partners after the making of the statement or admission) against the spouse or civil partner ”.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

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

- s. 102(8A) inserted by [2023 asp 3 s. 56\(2\)](#)
- s. 103(10) inserted by [2023 asp 3 s. 56\(5\)](#)
- s. 108(5) inserted by [2023 asp 3 s. 56\(8\)](#)
- s. 213(1A) inserted by [2013 c. 30 Sch. 2 para. 5\(2\)](#)