
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1995 No. 2993

The Police (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 1995

PART II

Police Powers

Extension of powers to search persons' mouths

5.—(1) In Article 34 of the 1989 Order (powers of search upon arrest) in paragraph (4), at the end, there shall be added the words “but they do authorise a search of a person's mouth”.

(2) In Article 53 of the 1989 Order (interpretation) after the definition of “intimate sample” there shall be inserted the following definition—

““intimate search” means a search which consists of the physical examination of a person's body orifices other than the mouth;”.

Changes to legislation:

The Police (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 1995, Section 5 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 13 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Instrument rev. in pt. (saving) (prosp.) by [1998 c. 32 s.74\(2\)\(3\)Schs.56](#)
- power to applied by [1997 c. 50 s.39\(2\)\(b\)](#)
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