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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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### 1996 No. 1141

#### The Juries (Northern Ireland) Order 1996

##### *Additional powers of the court*

##### **Separation and detention of jurors**

**20.**—(1) In the course of a criminal trial the judge may at any time (whether before or after the jury has been directed to consider its verdict) permit the jury to separate.

(2) In the course of the trial in the High Court of any action or issue therein the jury may in the discretion of the judge be detained during an adjournment of the court (other than an adjournment at the termination of proceedings for the day).

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Juries (Northern Ireland) Order 1996, Section 20.