
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2005 No. 1965

The Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2005

Introductory

Title, commencement and interpretation **N.I.**

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2005.
- (2) The following provisions come into operation on such day or days as the Secretary of State may by order appoint—
- (a) Articles 2 to 8;
 - (b) Article 13;
 - (c) Articles 20 to 22;
 - (d) Article 24;
 - (e) Article 27 and Schedule 2 so far as relating to the Extradition Act 2003 (c.41) and the Anti-social Behaviour (Northern Ireland) Order 2004 (NI 12).
- (3) Article 16 comes into operation on the day appointed for the coming into force of section 63 of the Justice (Northern Ireland) Act 2002 (c.26).
- (4) The remaining provisions of this Order (except Article 26) come into operation one month after the day on which this Order is made.
- (5) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 (c.33) applies to this Order as it applies to an Act of the Assembly.

Subordinate Legislation Made

- P1** [Art. 1\(2\)](#) power partly exercised: 19.8.2005 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2005/382](#), [art. 2](#);
- 18.9.2006 appointed for specified provisions by [{S.R. 2006/368}](#), art. 2;
- 12.3.2007 appointed for specified provision by [{S.R. 2007/55}](#), art. 2

Changes to legislation:

The Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2005, Section 1 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 01 October 2023. 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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Commencement Orders yet to be applied to the The Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2005

Commencement Orders bringing legislation that affects this Order into force:

- [S.R. 2016/387 art. 2 commences \(2015 c. 9 \(N.I.\)\)](#)