
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, Introductory 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 \(N.I.\)\)](#)