CRIMINAL JUSTICE (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 2008

S.I. 2008 No. 1216 (N.I. 1)

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

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DESCRIPTION

2.1. The Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2008 introduces new sentencing powers; risk management arrangements for sexual and violent offenders; road traffic offences; and miscellaneous provisions including provisions on alcohol purchase and consumption, and increased penalties for knife offences in Northern Ireland.