



# Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1973

## 1973 CHAPTER 53

### PART IV

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

#### 30 Commencement, duration, expiry and revival of provisions of this Act.

- (1) . . . . .<sup>F1</sup>
- (4) The coming into force of any of the following provisions of this Act, that is to say, sections 2, 4, 5, 6, and 7, . . .<sup>F2</sup> on the commencement of this Act . . .<sup>F2</sup>, shall not affect any trial on indictment where the indictment has been presented, or any summary trial which has started, before the coming into force of that provision, and any such trial shall be conducted as if the provision had not come into force.
- (5) Where before the coming into force of section 4(1) above, . . .<sup>F2</sup> on the commencement of this Act . . .<sup>F2</sup>, a person has been committed for trial for a scheduled offence and the indictment has not been presented, then, on the coming into force of that subsection, he [<sup>F3</sup>shall, if he was committed to a county court or to a court of assize other than the Belfast City Commission, be treated as having been committed to that Commission.]
- (6) . . . . .<sup>F1</sup>

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 23–27, 29, 30(1)–(3)(6)(7), 31(2)(3)(5) repealed by Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1978 (c. 5), **Sch. 6 Pt. I**
- F2** Words repealed by Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1978 (c. 5), **Sch. 6 Pt. I**
- F3** Words substituted by Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) (Amendment) Act 1975 (c. 62), **s. 6(2)(a), (3)** except as they apply to a trial on indictment where the accused was committed to the Belfast Recorder's Court before 21.8.1975

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**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

C1 Unreliable marginal note

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- [s. 19F continued by 2023 c. 41 Sch. 10 para. 2\(11\)\(b\)](#)