



Sexual Offences Act 1985

1985 CHAPTER 44

Increase of penalties

3 Penalties for certain sexual offences

- (1) Schedule 2 to the Sexual Offences Act 1956 (which shows the penalties which may be imposed for offences under that Act and attempts to commit certain of those offences) shall be amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph 1(b) (attempted rape), in the third column, for " Seven years " there shall be substituted " Life ".
- (3) In paragraph 17 (indecent assault on a woman), in the third column, for " If on a girl under thirteen who is stated to have been so in the indictment, five years; otherwise two years " there shall be substituted " Ten years ".