



Criminal Justice and Courts Services Act 2000

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PART I

THE NEW SERVICES

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NATIONAL PROBATION SERVICE FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Introduction

1 Purposes of the Chapter

- (1) This Chapter has effect for the purposes of providing for—
 - (a) courts to be given assistance in determining the appropriate sentences to pass, and making other decisions, in respect of persons charged with or convicted of offences, and
 - (b) the supervision and rehabilitation of such persons.
- (2) Subsection (1)(b) extends (in particular) to—
 - (a) giving effect to community orders,
 - (b) supervising persons released from prison on licence,
 - (c) providing accommodation in approved premises.
- (3) Regulations may extend the purposes mentioned in subsection (1) to include other prescribed purposes relating to persons charged with or convicted of offences.