



Mental Health Act 2007

2007 CHAPTER 12

PART 1

AMENDMENTS TO MENTAL HEALTH ACT 1983

CHAPTER 8

MISCELLANEOUS

42 Offence of ill-treatment: increase in maximum penalty on conviction on indictment

In section 127 of the 1983 Act (ill-treatment or wilful neglect of patients), in subsection (3)(b), for “two years” substitute “ five years ”.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Mental Health Act 2007, Section 42.