



Summary Jurisdiction (Scotland) Act 1954

1954 CHAPTER 48

Jurisdiction

8 In certain cases sentence of six months' imprisonment competent

Where a person is summarily convicted by the sheriff of

- (a) any offence inferring dishonest appropriation of property, or attempt thereat, aggravated by at least two previous convictions of any such offence, or
- (b) any offence inferring personal violence aggravated by at least two previous convictions of any such offence,

he may, without prejudice to any wider powers conferred by statute, be sentenced to imprisonment for any period not exceeding 'six months.