



Police (Property) Act 1897

1897 CHAPTER 30 60 and 61 Vict

An Act to make further provision with respect to the Disposal of Property in the Possession of the

Textual Amendments

- F1** Act repealed (N.I.) (1.4.1999) by 1998 c. 32, s. 74(3), **Sch. 6** (with Sch. 5 para. 1); S.R. 1999/176, **art. 3** (with art. 4)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Act modified by Incitement to **Disaffection Act 1934** (c. 56), **s. 2(4)**; extended by **Criminal Damage Act 1971** (c. 48), **s. 6(3)** and **Powers of Criminal Courts Act 1973** (c. 62), **s. 43(4)**; excluded by **Customs and Excise Management Act 1979** (c. 2), **s. 139(4)**
- C2** This Act is not necessarily in the form in which it has effect in Northern Ireland
Act applied (with modifications) (25.8.2000) by 2000 c. 6, **ss. 144(1)**, 168(1)
- C3** Act excluded (13.4.2006) by **Terrorism Act 2006** (c. 11), **ss. 28(7)(a)**, 39(2); S.I. 2006/1013, art. 2(2)(b)
- C4** Act applied by 1996 c. 56, s. 550AA(10) (as inserted (31.5.2007 for E., 31.10.2010 for W.) by **Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006** (c. 38), **ss. 45**, 66(2); S.I. 2007/858, art. 3(a); S.I. 2010/2426, art. 2)
- C5** Act applied by 1992 c. 13, s. 85B (as inserted (31.5.2007 for E., 31.10.2010 for W.) by **Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006** (c. 38), **ss. 46**, 66(2); S.I. 2007/858, art. 3(b); S.I. 2010/2426, art. 2)
- C6** Act applied (1.10.2007) by **Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006** (c. 38), **ss. 47(9)**, 66(2); S.I. 2007/2180, art. 3(l)
- C7** Act excluded by 1978 c. 37, Sch. para. 2(2) (as inserted (1.4.2008) by **Police and Justice Act 2006** (c. 48), s. 53(1), **Sch. 11**; S.I. 2008/790, art. 2(c))
- C8** Act applied by 1996 c. 56, s. 550ZD(1) (as inserted (1.9.2010) by **Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009** (c. 22), **ss. 242(1)**, 269(4); S.I. 2010/303, art. 6, Sch. 5 (as amended (26.7.2010) by S.I. 2010/1891, art. 2(2) (with art. 3)))
- C9** Act applied by 1992 c. 13, s. 85AD(1) (as inserted (1.9.2010) by **Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009** (c. 22), **ss. 244(1)**, 269(4); S.I. 2010/303, art. 6, Sch. 5 (as amended (26.7.2010) by S.I. 2010/1891, art. 2(2) (with art. 3)))
- C10** Act excluded (12.12.2017) by **Cultural Property (Armed Conflicts) Act 2017** (c. 6), **ss. 24(6)(a)**, 32(2) (with s. 30); S.I. 2017/1087, reg. 2

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C11 Act applied (with modifications) (10.5.2021) by [The West Yorkshire Combined Authority \(Election of Mayor and Functions\) Order 2021 \(S.I. 2021/112\)](#), arts. 1(4), 35(1)(2), **Sch. 5 para. 1**

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- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/414 art. 5Sch. 1 para. 1](#)