

# Criminal Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 1953

# **CHAPTER 14**

# CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1953

# PART I

## GENERAL PROVISIONS AS TO THE PUNISHMENT AND TREATMENT OF OFFENDERS

# PUNISHMENT GENERALLY

- 1 Abolition of penal servitude, hard labour and prison divisions.
- 2 Commutation of death sentence to sentence of imprisonment.S. 3 rep. by 1967 c. 18 (NI)
- 4 Taking of other offences into consideration in imposing punishment. Ss. 5, 6 rep. by 1968 c. 29 (NI)
  S. 7 rep. by 1980 NI 10
  S. 8 rep. by 1968 c. 34 (NI)

## PROPERTY OF CONVICTED PERSONS

- 9 Amendments of Forfeiture Act, 1870.
- 10 Other provisions as to property of convicted persons.

## PART II

PROCEDURE, EVIDENCE AND POWERS IN CRIMINAL MATTERS

S. 11 rep. by 1964 c. 21 (NI)

12 Evidence by certificate.

S. 13 rep. by 1964 c. 21 (NI)

14 Proof of previous convictions by finger-prints.

#### PART III

#### OFFENCES AND PENALTIES

Ss. 15, 16 rep. by 1955 c. 27 (NI) Ss. 17, 18 rep. by 1969 c. 16 (NI) S. 19 rep. by 1981 c. 45 S. 20 rep. by 1998 c. 32 S. 21 rep. by SLR 1973 S. 22 substitutes s. 6 of 1908 c. 45

23 Amendment of s. 42 of the Offences against the Person Act, 1861.

#### PART IV

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

S. 24 rep. by 1959 c. 25 (NI)

S. 25 rep. by 1989 NI 12

#### SUPPLEMENTAL

S. 26 rep. by SLR 1976

- 27 Interpretation.S. 28, with Second Schedule, effects amendmentsS. 29 rep. by SLR 1973
- 30 Short title.

## SCHEDULES

— First Schedule rep. by SLR 1976

— Second Schedule Amendments

— Third Schedule rep. by SLR 1973

# Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Criminal Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 1953.