



International Criminal Court (Scotland) Act 2001

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PART 1

OFFENCES

Offences

1 Genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes

- (1) It shall be an offence for a person to commit genocide, a crime against humanity or a war crime.
- (2) Subsection (1) above applies to acts committed—
 - (a) in Scotland; or
 - (b) outwith the United Kingdom by a United Kingdom national or a United Kingdom resident.
- (3) The Genocide Act 1969 (c. 12) is repealed.
- (4) In subsection (1) above—
 - “genocide” means an act of genocide as defined in article 6;
 - “crime against humanity” means a crime against humanity as defined in article 7; and
 - “war crime” means a war crime as defined in article 8.2.
- (5) The relevant provisions of the articles mentioned in subsection (4) above are set out in schedule 1 to this Act.
- (6) For the purposes of this Part of this Act, no account shall be taken of any provision of the articles omitted from the text set out in that schedule.