



Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Act 2019

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PART 1

AGE OF CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY

VALID FROM 17/12/2021

1 Raising the age of criminal responsibility

For section 41 of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995 substitute—

“41 Age of criminal responsibility

A child under the age of 12 years cannot commit an offence.”

Status:

Point in time view as at 29/11/2019. This version of this provision is not valid for this point in time.

Changes to legislation:

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Act 2019, Section 1 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 14 September 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.