



# Sheriffs Act 1887

1887 CHAPTER 55 50 and 51 Vict

## *Definitions and Repeal*

### 38 Definitions.

In this Act unless the context otherwise requires—

[<sup>F1</sup>The expression “county”, in relation to England, means, subject to the provisions of Schedule 2A to this Act, a county for the purposes of the Local Government Act 1972;]

[<sup>F2</sup>“enforcement officer” means an individual who is authorised to act as an enforcement officer under the Courts Act 2003;]

<sup>F2F3</sup> .....

The expression “writ” includes any process.

<sup>F4</sup> .....

<sup>F5</sup> ...

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 38 inserted (1.4.1996) by S.I. 1995/1748, **reg. 8(1)(a)**
- F2** S. 38: definition of "enforcement officer" inserted (15.3.2004) by Courts Act 2003 (c. 39), ss. 109(1), 110, **Sch. 8 para. 63**; S.I. 2004/401, **art. 2(b)(iii)**
- F3** Definitions of “Treasury” and “county” repealed by Statute Law Revision Act 1908 (c. 49) and Local Government Act 1972 (c. 70), **Sch. 30**
- F4** Definition of “quarter sessions” repealed by Statute Law Revision Act 1908 (c. 49)
- F5** Words in s. 38 repealed (1.4.2005) by Courts Act 2003 (c. 39), ss. 109(1)(3), 110, Sch. 8 para. 63, **Sch. 10**; S.I. 2005/910, **art. 3(y)(aa)**

### 39 Repeal.

<sup>F6</sup> .....

(1) This repeal shall not affect,—

<sup>F7(a)</sup> .....

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- F7(b) .....
- (c) the right of any city or borough under any charter; or
- (d) any such power, right, privilege, obligation, liability, or duty of any sheriff or officer of a sheriff as exists by common law at the passing of this Act; <sup>F7</sup> . . .
- F7(e) .....
- F7(f) .....

F7(2) .....

F8(3) .....

F7(4) .....

F7(5) .....

**Textual Amendments**

- F6 Words repealed by [Statute Law Revision Act 1908 \(c. 49\)](#)
- F7 S. 39 except para. (formerly proviso) (1)(c)(d) repealed (19.11.1998) by 1998 c. 43, s. 1(1), **Sch. 1 Pt. I** Group 1
- F8 S. 39(3) repealed by [Statute Law Revision Act 1966 \(c. 5\)](#)

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1 “This repeal” means repeal of enactments specified in Sch. 3 to this Act.

40 <sup>F9</sup>(1) .....

<sup>F10</sup>(2) .....

**Textual Amendments**

- F9 S. 40(1) repealed by [Administration of Justice Act 1977 \(c. 38\)](#), **Sch. 5 Pt. V**
- F10 S. 40(2) repealed (19.11.1998) by 1998 c. 43, s. 1(1), **Sch. 1 Pt. I** Group 1

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