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PART 10

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

CHAPTER 2

POWERS OF COURT ON CONVICTION

Hospital directions

Effect of hospital directions

- 176.** Where a court gives a hospital direction in respect of a person—
- (a) a constable or any other person directed to do so by the court must take the person to the hospital specified in the direction;
 - (b) the managing authority of that hospital must—
 - (i) admit the person; and
 - (ii) detain him or her in accordance with Chapter 5; and
 - (c) any question whether the person may be given any treatment while detained in a hospital in pursuance of the direction is (subject to section 243) to be determined in the same way as if the person were not so detained.