

Criminal Justice Act 1967

1967 CHAPTER 80

PART II

POWERS OF COURTS TO DEAL WITH OFFENDERS

Power of magistrates' courts to impose fines

43 General power of magistrates' courts to impose fines.

- (1) The maximum fine which may be imposed under section 19(6) of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1952 (liability of adults summarily convicted of certain indictable offences to imprisonment and fine) shall be £400 instead of £100.
- (2) In section 27(3) of the said Act of 1952 (power of a magistrates' court to fine an offender where the court would otherwise only have power to sentence him to imprisonment or other detention) for the words " twenty-five pounds " there shall be substituted the words " $\pounds100$ ".
- (3) Nothing in this section shall affect the amount of the fine which may be imposed on conviction of an offence committed before the commencement of this Act.