



# Theft Act 1968

## 1968 CHAPTER 60

*Offences relating to goods stolen etc.*

### **22 Handling stolen goods.**

- (1) A person handles stolen goods if (otherwise than in the course of the stealing) knowing or believing them to be stolen goods he dishonestly receives the goods, or dishonestly undertakes or assists in their retention, removal, disposal or realisation by or for the benefit of another person, or if he arranges to do so.
- (2) A person guilty of handling stolen goods shall on conviction on indictment be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding fourteen years.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Theft Act 1968, Section 22.