



Extradition Act 1989

1989 CHAPTER 33

PART IV

TREATMENT OF PERSONS RETURNED

19 Restrictions upon proceedings for other offences in case of persons returned by designated Commonwealth countries or colonies

- (1) This section applies to any person accused or convicted of an offence under the law of or of any part of the United Kingdom who is returned to the United Kingdom—
 - (a) from any designated Commonwealth country, under any law of that country corresponding with this Act;
 - (b) from any colony, under this Act as extended to that colony or under any corresponding law of that colony.
- (2) A person to whom this section applies shall not, during the period described in subsection (3) below, be dealt with in the United Kingdom for or in respect of any offence committed before he was returned to the United Kingdom other than—
 - (i) the offence in respect of which he was returned;
 - (ii) any lesser offence disclosed by the particulars furnished to the Commonwealth country or colony on which his return is grounded; or
 - (iii) any other offence in respect of which the Government of the Commonwealth country or Governor of the colony from which he was returned may consent to his being dealt with.
- (3) The period referred to in subsection (2) above in relation to a person to whom this section applies is the period beginning with the day of his arrival in the United Kingdom on his return as mentioned in subsection (1) above and ending 45 days after the first subsequent day on which he has the opportunity to leave the United Kingdom.
- (4) Where a person to whom this section applies has been convicted before his return to the United Kingdom of an offence for which his return was not granted, any punishment for that offence shall by operation of this section be remitted; but his conviction for it shall be treated as a conviction for all other purposes.

Status: *This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

- (5) In this section “dealt with” means tried or returned or surrendered to any country or colony or detained with a view to trial or with a view to such return or surrender.