



Football Spectators Act 1989

1989 CHAPTER 37

[^{F1}PART II

REGULATED FOOTBALL MATCHES]

[^{F1}Banning orders]

^{F1}[14B Banning orders made on a complaint.

- [^{F2}(1) An application for a banning order in respect of any person may be made by—
- (a) the relevant chief officer, or
 - (b) the Director of Public Prosecutions,
- if it appears to him that the condition in subsection (2) is met.]

[In subsection (1) “the relevant chief officer” means—

- ^{F3}(1A) (a) the chief officer of police of any police force maintained for a police area; or
- (b) the chief constable of the British Transport Police Force.]
- (2) That condition is that the respondent has at any time caused or contributed to any violence or disorder in the United Kingdom or elsewhere.
- (3) The application is to be made by complaint to a magistrates’ court.
- (4) If—
- (a) it is proved on the application that the condition in subsection (2) above is met, and
 - (b) the court is satisfied that there are reasonable grounds to believe that making a banning order would help to prevent violence or disorder at or in connection with any regulated football matches,
- the court must make a banning order in respect of the respondent.]
- [^{F4}(5) If the magistrates’ court adjourns proceedings on an application under this section, the court may remand the person in respect of whom the application is made.

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- (6) A person who, by virtue of subsection (5) above, is remanded on bail under section 128 of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 may be required by the conditions of his bail—
- (a) not to leave England and Wales before his appearance before the court, and
 - (b) if the control period relates to a regulated football match outside the United Kingdom or to an external tournament which includes such matches, to surrender his passport to a police constable, if he has not already done so.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Pt. II heading, cross-headings and ss. 14-14J substituted for cross-headings and ss. 14-17 (28.8.2000) by 2000 c. 25, s. 1(1), **Sch. 1 para. 2**; S.I. 2000/2125, **art. 2**
- F2** S. 14B(1) substituted (6.4.2007) by Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006 (c. 38), s. 66(2), **Sch. 3 para. 4(1)(a)**; S.I. 2007/858, art. 2(k)
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Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Ss. 14B, 21A, 21B restricted (28.7.2000) by 2000 c. 25, **s. 5(2)-(5)**,

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