



# Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994

## 1994 CHAPTER 33

### PART XI

#### SEXUAL OFFENCES

##### *Rape*

#### 142 Rape of women and men.

For section 1 of the <sup>M1</sup>Sexual Offences Act 1956 (rape of a woman) there shall be substituted the following section—

##### **“1 Rape of woman or man.**

- (1) It is an offence for a man to rape a woman or another man.
- (2) A man commits rape if—
  - (a) he has sexual intercourse with a person (whether vaginal or anal) who at the time of the intercourse does not consent to it; and
  - (b) at the time he knows that the person does not consent to the intercourse or is reckless as to whether that person consents to it.
- (3) A man also commits rape if he induces a married woman to have sexual intercourse with him by impersonating her husband.
- (4) Subsection (2) applies for the purpose of any enactment.”

#### Marginal Citations

M1 1956 c. 69.

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**Changes to legislation:**

Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994, Cross Heading: Rape is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 22 May 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.