

# Proceeds of Crime Act 2002

# **2002 CHAPTER 29**

## PART 3

## CONFISCATION: SCOTLAND

## Accused unlawfully at large

## 114 Discharge of order

- (1) Subsection (2) applies if-
  - (a) the court makes a confiscation order under section 92 as applied by section 112,
  - (b) the accused is later tried for the offence or offences concerned and acquitted of the offence or offences, and
  - (c) he applies to the court to discharge the order.

## (2) In such a case the court must discharge the order.

- (3) Subsection (4) applies if—
  - (a) the court makes a confiscation order under section 92 as applied by section 112,
  - (b) the accused ceases to be unlawfully at large,
  - (c) subsection (1)(b) does not apply, and
  - (d) he applies to the court to discharge the order.
- (4) In such a case the court may discharge the order if it finds that—
  - (a) there has been undue delay in continuing the proceedings mentioned in section 112(1), or
  - (b) the prosecutor does not intend to proceed with the prosecution.
- (5) If the court discharges a confiscation order under this section it may make such a consequential or incidental order as it thinks is appropriate.

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