

# Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Act 2021

### **2021 CHAPTER 11**

#### PART 1

#### SENTENCING OF TERRORIST AND CERTAIN OTHER OFFENDERS

#### Extended sentences

## Increase in extension period for serious terrorism offenders aged under 18: England and Wales

- (1) Section 256(4) of the Sentencing Code (limits on extension period in term of extended sentence of detention) is amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph (b)—
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (i), at the end insert "(unless sub-paragraph (iii) applies)";
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (ii), at the end insert "(unless sub-paragraph (iii) applies)";
  - (c) after sub-paragraph (ii) insert—
    - "(iii) 10 years in the case of a serious terrorism offence for which the sentence is imposed on or after the day on which section 16 of the Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Act 2021 comes into force."
- (3) In the words after paragraph (b), for "and "specified terrorism offence" substitute ", "specified terrorism offence" and "serious terrorism offence".