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# SCHEDULES

## SCHEDULE 9

### OFFENCES FOR PURPOSES OF [PART 5](#)

#### PART 2

#### STATUTORY OFFENCES

##### *Taking of Hostages Act 1982*

33 An offence under section 1 of the Taking of Hostages Act 1982 (hostage taking).

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#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** Sch. 9 para. 33 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 67\(1\)](#)  
**I2** [Sch. 9 para. 33](#) in force at 1.11.2023 by [S.I. 2023/1145](#), [reg. 3\(j\)](#)

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 8 para. 12(4)(da) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 4 para. 230](#)
- Sch. 9 para. 35(ea) inserted by [2023 c. 47 s. 3\(3\)](#)