

Naval Discipline Act 1957

1957 CHAPTER 53

PART I

ARTICLES OF WAR

Mutiny

9 Offences of mutiny

- (1) Every person subject to this Act who takes part in a mutiny which—
 - (a) involves the use of violence or the threat of the use of violence; or
 - (b) has as its object or one of its objects the refusal or avoidance of any duty or service against, or in connection with operations against, the enemy, or the impeding of the performance of any such duty or service,

or who incites any other person subject to service law to take part in such a mutiny, whether actual or intended, shall be liable to death or any less punishment authorised by this Act.

(2) Every person subject to this Act who takes part in a mutiny not described in the foregoing subsection, or incites any other person subject to service law to take part in such a mutiny, whether actual or intended, shall be liable to imprisonment for any term or any less punishment authorised by this Act.