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Prison Act 1952

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An Act to consolidate certain enactments relating to prisons and other institutions for offenders and related matters with corrections and improvements made under the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act 1949.   [1st August 1952]

Extent Information

E1   For the extent of this Act see s. 55(3)(4)(5)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1   By Criminal Justice Act 1991 (c. 53, SIF 39:1), s. 10(1), **Sch. 12 para. 23**; S.I. 1991/2208, art. 2(1), **Sch. 1** it is provided (14.10.1991) that in relation to any time before the commencement of s. 70 of that 1991 Act (which came into force on 1.10.1992 by S.I. 1992/333, art. 2(2), **Sch. 2**) references in any enactment amended by that 1991 Act, to youth courts shall be construed as references to juvenile courts.

C2   Act applied (3.11.1994) by 1994 c. 33, **ss. 7(2)(4)**, 172(4)
Act applied (3.11.1994) by 1994 c. 33, **ss. 8(2)**, 172(4)

C3   Act amended (1.10.1997) by 1997 c. 43, s. 41, **Sch. 1 Pt. III para. 17(2)(3)**; S.I. 1997/2200, **art. 2(1) (g)** (with art. 5)

C4   A reference to a detention centre within the meaning of Part VIII of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 (c. 33) to be construed as a reference to a removal centre within the meaning of that Part (prosp.) by virtue of Nationality, Immigration and Asylum Act 2002 (c. 41), ss. {66(4)}, 162(2) (with s. 159)

Commencement Information

I1   Act wholly in force at 1.10.1952 see s. 55(2)

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