
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 210

PROCEEDS OF CRIME, NORTHERN IRELAND

The Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Search, Seizure and Detention of Property: Code of Practice) (Northern Ireland) Order 2016

Made - - - - - *23rd February 2016*

Coming into force - - - - - *1st March 2016*

The Secretary of State makes this Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 195S(4) of the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002(1) (“the Act”).

The Secretary of State—

- (a) is required to make a code of practice under section 195S(1) of the Act;
- (b) in accordance with section 195S(2) of the Act, has published a draft of the code of practice, considered any representations made about the draft and, as she thought appropriate, modified the draft in the light of any such representations; and
- (c) in accordance with section 195S(3) of the Act, has laid a draft of the code of practice before Parliament.

In accordance with section 459(6)(a) of the Act, a draft of this instrument has been laid before and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

(1) [2002 c. 29](#). Section 195S was inserted by the Policing and Crime Act 2009 ([c. 26](#)), s. 57(1) and (2) (which was amended by [S.I. 2012/2595](#)). Section 195S was amended by the Crime and Courts Act 2013 ([c. 22](#)) and [S.I. 2015/230](#).