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WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2020 No. 1609**

**The Health Protection (Coronavirus  
Restrictions) (No. 5) (Wales) Regulations 2020**

**PART 8**

Offences and penalties

CHAPTER 1

Offences

**Arrest without warrant**

**45.** Section 24 of the Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984 <sup>M1</sup> applies in relation to an offence under these Regulations as if the reasons in subsection (5) included—

- (a) to maintain public health;
- (b) to maintain public order.

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**Commencement Information**

**I1** Reg. 45 in force at 20.12.2020, see [reg. 1\(3\)](#)

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**Marginal Citations**

**M1** 1984 c. 60. Section 24 was substituted by section 110(1) of the [Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005 \(c. 15\)](#).

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) (No. 5) (Wales) Regulations 2020, Section 45.