



# Criminal Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1967

## 1967 CHAPTER 18

### **3<sup>F1</sup> Use of force in making arrest etc.**

- (1) A person may use such force as is reasonable in the circumstances in the prevention of crime, or in effecting or assisting in the lawful arrest of offenders or suspected offenders or of persons unlawfully at large.
- (2) Subsection (1) shall replace the rules of the common law as to the matters dealt with by that subsection.

**F1** 1990 c. 31

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 08/01/2007.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Criminal Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1967, Section 3 .