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## SCHEDULES

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#### TIMES WHEN PROCEEDINGS ARE ACTIVE FOR PURPOSES OF SECTION 2

##### *Criminal proceedings*

- 5 Criminal proceedings are concluded—
- (a) by acquittal or, as the case may be, by sentence;
  - (b) by any other verdict, finding, order or decision which puts an end to the proceedings;
  - (c) by discontinuance or by operation of law.

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