

### **2011 CHAPTER 24**

# PART 9

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

## Possession of offensive weapon with intent to commit an offence

- **93.**—(1) A person who is in possession of an offensive weapon with intent to commit an indictable offence is guilty of an offence.
- (2) In subsection (1) "offensive weapon" means any article made or adapted for use for causing injury to the person, or intended by the person in possession of it for such use.
  - (3) A person guilty of an offence under subsection (1) shall be liable—
    - (a) on summary conviction, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or to a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum, or to both;
    - (b) on conviction on indictment, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 4 years, or to a fine, or to both.

## **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 2011, Section 93.