

### **2022 CHAPTER 19**

### PART 1

Sexual offences

#### **CHAPTER 2**

Anonymity and privacy

Anonymity of victims

## Increase in penalty for breach of anonymity

- **10.**—(1) Section 5 of the Sexual Offences (Amendment) Act 1992 (offences) is amended as follows.
  - (2) In subsection (1) omit the words from "and liable" to "standard scale".
  - (3) After subsection (1) insert—
    - "(1A) A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months or to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale, or to both."

#### **Commencement Information**

- II S. 10 not in operation at Royal Assent, see s. 30(2)
- I2 S. 10 in operation at 28.9.2023 by S.R. 2023/142, art. 3

## **Status:**

Point in time view as at 27/11/2023.

# **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Justice (Sexual Offences and Trafficking Victims) Act (Northern Ireland) 2022, Section 10.