

## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2008 No. 1216

## The Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2008

### PART 5

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND SUPPLEMENTARY

##### *Penalties*

PROSPECTIVE

#### [<sup>F1</sup>Effect of custodial sentence in other cases

**91B.**—(1) This Article applies where a person is convicted of an offence for which a court proposes to order the person to be disqualified under Article 91 for holding or obtaining a driving licence and—

- (a) the court proposes to impose on the person a custodial sentence (other than a suspended sentence) for another offence, or
- (b) at the time of sentencing for the offence, a custodial sentence imposed on the person on an earlier occasion has not expired.

(2) In determining the period for which the person is to be disqualified under Article 91, the court must have regard to the consideration in paragraph (3) if and to the extent that it is appropriate to do so.

(3) The consideration is the diminished effect of disqualification as a distinct punishment if the person who is disqualified is also detained in pursuance of a custodial sentence.

(4) If the court proposes to order the person to be disqualified under Article 91 and to impose a custodial sentence for the same offence, the court may not in relation to that disqualification take that custodial sentence into account for the purposes of paragraph (2).

(5) In this Article “custodial sentence” and “suspended sentence” have the same meaning as in Article 91A.]

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Arts. 91A, 91B inserted (prosp.) by [Coroners and Justice Act 2009 \(c. 25\)](#), ss. 137, 182(5), [Sch. 16 para. 6](#) (with s. 180, [Sch. 22 para. 29](#))

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 31/10/2016. This version of this provision is prospective.

**Changes to legislation:**

The Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2008, Section 91B is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 05 July 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.