### DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2008 No.

## The Sexual Offences (Northern Ireland) Order 2008

## PART 6

#### MISCELLANEOUS SEXUAL OFFENCES

#### Other offences

#### Voyeurism

71.—(1) A person commits an offence if—

- (a) for the purpose of obtaining sexual gratification, he observes another person doing a private act, and
- (b) he knows that the other person does not consent to being observed for his sexual gratification.
- (2) A person commits an offence if-
  - (a) he operates equipment with the intention of enabling another person to observe, for the purpose of obtaining sexual gratification, a third person (B) doing a private act, and
  - (b) he knows that B does not consent to his operating equipment with that intention.
- (3) A person commits an offence if—
  - (a) he records another person (B) doing a private act, and
  - (b) he does so with the intention that he or a third person will, for the purpose of obtaining sexual gratification, look at an image of B doing the act, and
  - (c) he knows that B does not consent to his recording the act with that intention.

(4) A person commits an offence if he instals equipment, or constructs or adapts a structure or part of a structure, with the intention of enabling himself or another person to commit an offence under paragraph (1).

- (5) A person guilty of an offence under this Article is liable—
  - (a) on summary conviction, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months or a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum or both;
  - (b) on conviction on indictment, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 2 years.