



Aviation Security Act 1982

1982 CHAPTER 36

PART I

OFFENCES AGAINST THE SAFETY OF AIRCRAFT ETC.

5 Jurisdiction of courts in respect of air piracy.

- (1) Any court in the United Kingdom having jurisdiction in respect of piracy committed on the high seas shall have jurisdiction in respect of piracy committed by or against an aircraft, wherever that piracy is committed.
- (2) in subsection (1) above, aircraft has the same meaning as in section 92 of the ^{M1}Civil Aviation Act 1982 (application of criminal law to aircraft); and, for the purposes of this definition, section 101 of that Act (Crown aircraft) shall apply to this section as it applies to the said section 92.

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 5 extended (with modifications) (Jersey) (12.6.1993) by [S.I. 1993/1251](#) , art. 2(1) , [Sch. 1 Pt.I](#)
S. 5 extended (with modifications) (Guernsey) (17.1.1998) by [S.I. 1997/2989](#) , art. 2(1) , [Sch. 1 Pt. I](#) ,
[II](#)

Marginal Citations

- M1** [1982 c. 16](#) .

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Aviation Security Act 1982, Section 5.