

Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994

1994 CHAPTER 33

PART XI

SEXUAL OFFENCES

Homosexuality

147 Homosexuality on merchant ships and in the armed forces: Northern Ireland.

- (1) In the MI Homosexual Offences (Northern Ireland) Order 1982, the following are revoked—
 - (a) in article 3(1) (homosexual acts in private), the words "and Article 5 (merchant seamen)"; and
 - (b) article 5 (homosexual acts on merchant ships).
- (2) Article 3(4) of the Homosexual Offences (Northern Ireland) Order 1982 (homosexual acts in the armed forces) is revoked.
- (3) Nothing in this section shall prevent a homosexual act (with or without other acts or circumstances) from constituting a ground for ^{F1}... dismissing a member of the crew of a United Kingdom merchant ship from his ship ^{F2}...

Textual Amendments

- F1 Words in s. 147(3) omitted (12.7.2016) by virtue of Armed Forces Act 2016 (c. 21), ss. 14(3), 19(3)(a)
- **F2** Words in s. 147(3) repealed (28.3.2009 for specified purposes, 31.10.2009 in so far as not already in force) by Armed Forces Act 2006 (c. 52), s. 383(2), **Sch. 17**; S.I. 2009/812, art. 3(a)(b) (with transitional provisions in S.I. 2009/1059); S.I. 2009/1167, art. 4

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