



# Youth Justice and Criminal Evidence Act 1999

## 1999 CHAPTER 23

### PART II

#### GIVING OF EVIDENCE OR INFORMATION FOR PURPOSES OF CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS

#### CHAPTER I

#### SPECIAL MEASURES DIRECTIONS IN CASE OF VULNERABLE AND INTIMIDATED WITNESSES

#### *Supplementary*

### 32 Warning to jury.

Where on a trial on indictment [<sup>F1</sup>with a jury] evidence has been given in accordance with a special measures direction, the judge must give the jury such warning (if any) as the judge considers necessary to ensure that the fact that the direction was given in relation to the witness does not prejudice the accused.

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 32 inserted (24.7.2006) by [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c. 44\), s. 336\(3\)\(4\), Sch. 36 para. 75; S.I. 2006/1835, art. 2\(h\)](#)

#### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 32 applied (with modifications) (6.12.2006) by [The Youth Justice and Criminal Evidence Act 1999 \(Application to Courts-Martial\) Order 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2886\), art. 1\(1\), Sch. 1 \(with art. 3\)](#)
- C2** S. 32 applied (with modifications) (6.12.2006) by [The Youth Justice and Criminal Evidence Act 1999 \(Application to Standing Civilian Courts\) Order 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2888\), art. 1\(1\), Sch. 1 \(with art. 3\)](#)

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#### **Commencement Information**

- II** S. 32 wholly in force at 24.7.2002; Pt. II Chs. 1-4 (ss. 16-52) in force for certain purposes at Royal Assent, see s. 68(4); s. 32 in force in so far as not already in force at 24.7.2002 by [S.I. 2002/1739](#), **art. 2(b)**

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