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Sexual Offences Act 2003

2003 CHAPTER 42

PART 1

SEXUAL OFFENCES

Trafficking

^{F5}[^{F4}58A] Trafficking outside the UK for sexual exploitation

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Textual Amendments

- F4** S. 58A inserted (N.I.) (26.4.2013) by [Criminal Justice Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2013 \(c. 7\)](#), **ss. 6(1), 15(1)**
- F5** Ss. 57-60C repealed (N.I.) (14.1.2015) by [Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Criminal Justice and Support for Victims\) Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2015 \(c. 2\)](#), s. 28(2), **Sch. 5**

^{F6}[^{F1}59] Trafficking out of the UK for sexual exploitation

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Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 59A substituted (E.W) (6.4.2013) for ss. 57-59 by [Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 \(c. 9\)](#), ss. 109(2), 120 (with s. 97); S.I. 2013/470, art. 2(a) (with arts. 3(a), 5-8)
- F6** Ss. 57-60C repealed (N.I.) (14.1.2015) by [Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Criminal Justice and Support for Victims\) Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2015 \(c. 2\)](#), s. 28(2), **Sch. 5**

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^{F7}59A Trafficking people for sexual exploitation

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Textual Amendments

- F7** Ss. 59A-60C omitted (E.W.) (31.7.2015) by virtue of [Modern Slavery Act 2015 \(c. 30\)](#), s. 61(1), [Sch. 5 para. 5\(2\)](#); S.I. 2015/1476, reg. 2(j) (with regs. 36-8)

^{F9F7}60 [^{F8}Sections 57 to 59: interpretation and jurisdiction][^{F8}Section 59A: interpretation]

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Textual Amendments

- F7** Ss. 59A-60C omitted (E.W.) (31.7.2015) by virtue of [Modern Slavery Act 2015 \(c. 30\)](#), s. 61(1), [Sch. 5 para. 5\(2\)](#); S.I. 2015/1476, reg. 2(j) (with regs. 36-8)
- F8** S. 60 title substituted (E.W.) (6.4.2013) by [Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 \(c. 9\)](#), [ss. 109\(5\)](#), 120 (with s. 97); S.I. 2013/470, [art. 2\(a\)](#) (with arts. 3(a), 5-8)
- F9** Ss. 57-60C repealed (N.I.) (14.1.2015) by [Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Criminal Justice and Support for Victims\) Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2015 \(c. 2\)](#), s. 28(2), [Sch. 5](#)

^{F11F7}^{F10}60A Forfeiture of land vehicle, ship or aircraft

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Textual Amendments

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- F10** Ss. 60A-60C inserted (E.W.N.I.) (12.2.2007) by [Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006 \(c. 38\)](#), [ss. 54, 66\(2\)](#), [Sch. 4 para. 2](#); S.I. 2007/74, [art. 2\(b\)](#)
- F11** Ss. 57-60C repealed (N.I.) (14.1.2015) by [Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Criminal Justice and Support for Victims\) Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2015 \(c. 2\)](#), s. 28(2), [Sch. 5](#)

^{F12F7}60B Detention of land vehicle, ship or aircraft

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Textual Amendments

- F7** Ss. 59A-60C omitted (E.W.) (31.7.2015) by virtue of [Modern Slavery Act 2015 \(c. 30\)](#), s. 61(1), [Sch. 5 para. 5\(2\)](#); S.I. 2015/1476, reg. 2(j) (with regs. 36-8)
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F13F7 60C Sections 60A and 60B: interpretation

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