

Criminal Justice and Courts Act 2015

2015 CHAPTER 2

PART 1

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Offences involving police or prison officers

27 Term of imprisonment for murder of police or prison officer

- (1) Schedule 21 to the Criminal Justice Act 2003 (determination of minimum term in relation to mandatory life sentence) is amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph 4(2) (cases for which a whole life order is the appropriate starting point), after paragraph (b) insert—
 - "(ba) the murder of a police officer or prison officer in the course of his or her duty,".
- (3) In paragraph 5(2) (cases for which 30 years is the appropriate starting point), omit paragraph (a).
- (4) The amendments made by this section apply only in relation to an offence committed on or after the day on which they come into force.

Commencement Information

II S. 27 in force at 13.4.2015 by S.I. 2015/778, art. 3, Sch. 1 para. 23

Status:

Point in time view as at 13/04/2015. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Criminal Justice and Courts Act 2015, Section 27.