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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 25 **E+W**

AMENDMENTS TO THE ARMED FORCES ACT 2006

PART 5 **E+W**

AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 6 OF PART 8: SENTENCES FOR CERTAIN OFFENCES

- 49 (1) Section 227A (offences of threatening with a weapon on public or on school premises) is amended as follows.
- (2) After subsection (1), insert—
- “(1A) Where the offender is aged under 21 at the time of conviction, the court must impose a sentence of detention in a young offender institution for a term of at least 6 months unless the court is of the opinion that there are particular circumstances which—
- (a) relate to the offence or to the offender, and
- (b) would make it unjust to do so in all the circumstances.”
- (3) In subsection (2), at the beginning insert “ Where the offender is aged 21 or over at the time of conviction, ”.
- (4) Omit subsection (3).

Commencement Information

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