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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 2

OPERATIONAL POWERS OF ICRIR OFFICERS

Resisting, obstructing or impeding a designated ICRIR officer

- 12 (1) Any person who resists, obstructs or impedes—
- (a) a designated ICRIR officer in the execution of that ICRIR officer's duty, or
 - (b) a person assisting a designated ICRIR officer in the execution of that ICRIR officer's duty,
- is guilty of an offence.
- (2) A person guilty of an offence under this paragraph is liable—
- (a) on conviction on indictment in Northern Ireland, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 2 years or to a fine, or to both;
 - (b) on summary conviction in Northern Ireland, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months or to a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum, or to both;
 - (c) on summary conviction in England and Wales, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 51 weeks or to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale, or to both;
 - (d) on summary conviction in Scotland, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or to a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum, or to both.
- (3) In this paragraph, the references to the execution of the duty of a designated ICRIR officer are references to—
- (a) the exercise of a power or privilege conferred by the designation of the ICRIR officer;
 - (b) the performance of a duty imposed by the designation of the ICRIR officer.
- (4) In relation to an offence committed before the commencement of section 280(2) of the Criminal Justice Act 2003 (alteration of penalties for summary offences), the reference in sub-paragraph (2)(c) to 51 weeks is to be read as a reference to one month.

Commencement Information

- I1** Sch. 2 para. 12 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 63\(4\)](#)
- I2** [Sch. 2 para. 12](#) in force at 1.5.2024 by [S.I. 2024/584](#), [reg. 2\(d\)](#) (with [regs. 3, 4](#))

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