



Naval Discipline Act 1957 (repealed)

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PART I

ARTICLES OF WAR

Miscellaneous offences

36 Cruelty or scandalous conduct by officers.

Every officer subject to this Act who [^{F1}behaves in a scandalous manner] unbecoming the character of an officer shall be liable to dismissal from Her Majesty's service with or without disgrace.

Textual Amendments

F1 Words substituted by [Armed Forces Act 1971 \(c. 33\), ss. 29\(3\), 78\(4\)](#)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 [S. 36](#) extended (E.W.) (S.) by [Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(c. 53\), s. 2\(3\)\(b\)](#)

Textual Amendments applied to the whole legislation

F1 Act repealed (prosp.) by [Armed Forces Act 2006 \(c. 52\), ss. 378, 383, Sch. 17](#) and the repeal being partly in force, as to which see individual provisions

Status:

Point in time view as at 07/01/2003. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

Naval Discipline Act 1957 (repealed), Section 36 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 18 August 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.