



Forfeiture Act 1870

1870 CHAPTER 23 33 and 34 Vict

4 Compensation to persons defrauded or injured by felony.

It shall be lawful for any such Court as aforesaid, if it shall think fit, upon the application of any person aggrieved, and immediately after the conviction of any person for felony, to award any sum of money, not exceeding one hundred pounds, by way of satisfaction or compensation for any loss of property suffered by the applicant through or by means of the said felony, and the amount awarded for such satisfaction or compensation shall be deemed a judgment debt due to the person entitled to receive the same from the person so convicted, and the order for payment of such amount may be enforced in such and the same manner as in the case of any costs ordered by the Court to be paid under the last preceding section of this Act.

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 “Court as aforesaid means the court by which judgment was pronounced or recorded
- C2 S. 4 repealed (E.W.) by [Administration of Justice Act 1970 \(c. 31\)](#), [Sch. 11](#) and [Criminal Justice Act 1972 \(c. 71\)](#), [Sch. 6 Pt. II](#); amended (N.I.) by [Criminal Law Act \(Northern Ireland\) 1967 \(c. 18\)](#), [Sch. 1 para. 17](#) and [Road Traffic Act \(Northern Ireland\) 1970 \(c. 2\)](#), [s. 180](#)

Status:

Point in time view as at 01/02/1991.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Forfeiture Act 1870, Section 4.