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[F1The Criminal Justice Act 1988 (Offensive Weapons) Order 1988

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THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT 1988 (OFFENSIVE WEAPONS) ORDER 1988

1. This Order may be cited as the Criminal Justice Act...
2. The Schedule to this Order shall have effect.

Signature

SCHEDULE —

1. Section 141 of the Criminal Justice Act 1988 (offensive weapons)...
2. For the purposes of this Schedule, a weapon is an...
3. It shall be a defence for a person charged—
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5. For the purposes of paragraph 4— “historical re-enactment” means any...

5A (1) It shall be a defence for a person charged—...

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6. For the purposes of paragraphs 3, 4 , 5A and...

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- Sch. para. 1(s) inserted by 2019 c. 17 s. 47(2)
- Sch. para. 5A words inserted by S.I. 2024/583 art. 2(4)
- Sch. para. 5B(1)-(4) words inserted by S.I. 2024/583 art. 2(5)(a)
- Sch. para. 5B words inserted by S.I. 2024/583 art. 2(5)(b)
- Sch. para. 5B(5) words inserted by S.I. 2024/583 art. 2(5)(c)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:
Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. para. 1(sa) inserted by S.I. 2024/583 art. 2(2)
- Sch. para. 1A inserted by S.I. 2024/583 art. 2(3)
- Sch. para. 5C-5E inserted by S.I. 2024/583 art. 2(6)