

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 2

Amendments of enactments specified in Schedule 1

Proceeds of Crime (Northern Ireland) Order 1996

- 15.**—(1) Amend the Proceeds of Crime (Northern Ireland) Order 1996⁽¹⁾ as follows.
- (2) In Article 56 (regulations extending certain offences to Crown servants)—
- (a) in paragraph (1) for “Secretary of State” substitute “appropriate authority”;
 - (b) in paragraph (5), at the appropriate place, insert—
 - ““the appropriate authority” means—
 - (a) in relation to persons in the public service of the Crown in right of Her Majesty’s Government in the United Kingdom, the Secretary of State;
 - (b) otherwise, the Department of Justice;”;
 - (c) in paragraph (5), in the definition of “prescribed”, for “Secretary of State” substitute “appropriate authority”;
 - (d) after paragraph (5) insert—
 - “(5A) Regulations made by the Department of Justice under this Article shall be subject to negative resolution.”;
 - (e) in paragraph (6) after “Regulations” insert “made by the Secretary of State”.
- (3) In paragraph 2 of Part 2 of Schedule 1 (orders varying list of offences) for the words from “annulment” to “accordingly” substitute “negative resolution”.
- (4) In paragraph 8(3) of Schedule 2 (financial investigations: code of practice)—
- (a) for “both Houses of Parliament” substitute “the Assembly”;
 - (b) for “code before both Houses” substitute “code before the Assembly”.
- (5) In paragraph 9 of Schedule 2 (regulations) for the words from “annulment” to “accordingly” substitute “negative resolution”.

(1) [S.I. 1996/1299 \(N.I. 9\)](#). Article 56 was amended by Schedule 11 to the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (c. 29).