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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2015 No. 1970**

**CRIMINAL LAW, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Prosecution of Offences Act 1985 (Criminal Courts Charge) (Amendment) Regulations 2015**

*Made* - - - - *2nd December 2015*  
*Laid before Parliament* *3rd December 2015*  
*Coming into force* - - *24th December 2015*

The Lord Chancellor makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 21C(1) and 29 of the Prosecution of Offences Act 1985(1):

**Citation and commencement**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Prosecution of Offences Act 1985 (Criminal Courts Charge) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 and come into force on 24th December 2015.

**Amendments to the Prosecution of Offences Act 1985 (Criminal Courts Charge) Regulations 2015**

2. Omit regulation 3 (amount of the criminal courts charge) of, and the Schedule to, the Prosecution of Offences Act 1985 (Criminal Courts Charge) Regulations 2015(2).

2nd December 2015

*Michael Gove*  
Lord Chancellor  
Ministry of Justice

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(1) 1985 c. 23. Section 54 of the Criminal Justice and Courts Act 2015 (c. 2) inserted section 21C of the Prosecution of Offences Act 1985.  
(2) S.I. 2015/796.

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations amend the Prosecution of Offences Act 1985 (Criminal Courts Charge) Regulations 2015 ([S.I. 2015/796](#)) to omit regulation 3 and the Schedule, which specified the amount of the criminal courts charge payable in different classes of case.

A full impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as no impact on the private or voluntary sectors is foreseen.