
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 820

**The Serious Crime Act 2015
(Commencement No. 1) Regulations 2015**

Provisions coming into force on 1st June 2015

3. The following provisions of the Serious Crime Act 2015 come into force on 1st June 2015—
- (a) sections 1 to 4 (confiscation: assets held by defendant and other);
 - (b) section 5 (time for payment);
 - (c) section 6 (confiscation and victim surcharge orders);
 - (d) section 7 (orders for securing compliance with confiscation order);
 - (e) section 8 (variation or discharge);
 - (f) section 9 (absconding defenders);
 - (g) section 10 (default sentences);
 - (h) section 11 (conditions for exercise of restraint order powers);
 - (i) section 12 (continuation of restraint order after quashed conviction);
 - (j) section 14 (seized money etc);
 - (k) section 37 (exemption from civil liability for money-laundering disclosures);
 - (l) section 39 (external orders and investigations: meaning of “obtaining property”);
 - (m) section 40 (confiscation orders by magistrates’ courts);
 - (n) section 51 (injunctions to prevent gang-related violence and drug-dealing activity);
 - (o) section 78 (knives and offensive weapons in prisons);
 - (p) section 85(1), for the purposes of the provisions listed in sub-paragraph (q) of this regulation; and
 - (q) in Schedule 4—
 - (i) paragraph 3;
 - (ii) paragraph 6;
 - (iii) paragraphs 19 to 34;
 - (iv) paragraphs 52 to 54;
 - (v) paragraphs 56 to 57;
 - (vi) paragraph 59;
 - (vii) paragraph 61;
 - (viii) paragraph 67;
 - (ix) paragraphs 83 to 86;
 - (x) paragraph 87(1), (3) and (4); and
 - (xi) paragraph 89.