



## 2016 CHAPTER 21

### **PART 3**

#### Miscellaneous

##### *Direct committal for trial*

#### **Direct committal for trial: indictable offence triable summarily**

**57.—**(1) Section 9 of the Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 2015 (cases where direct committal provisions may apply) is amended as follows.

(2) In subsection (1) for “either” substitute “one”.

(3) In subsection (2) after paragraph (a) insert—

“(aa) that the offence is an indictable offence to which Article 45 of the Magistrates' Courts (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 or Article 17 of the Criminal Justice (Children) (Northern Ireland) Order 1998 applies; or”.

**Changes to legislation:**

Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 2016, Section 57 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 01 March 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 57 repealed by [2022 c. 4 \(N.I.\) s. 4\(11\)](#)