



Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1980

1980 CHAPTER 62

PART III

PENALTIES

56 Penalties for drunkenness.

(1) In section 70 of the ^{M1}Licensing (Scotland) Act 1903 (penalties for drunkenness, etc.)

- (a) in the first paragraph of subsection (1) for the words from “and may be taken” to the end of that paragraph there shall be substituted the words “ and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £50 ”;
- (b) in the second paragraph of that subsection for the words from “forty” to the end of that paragraph there shall be substituted the words “ £50 ” ;
- (c) after that subsection there shall be inserted the following subsection—

“(1A) A constable may arrest without warrant any person who he has reasonable grounds for suspecting is committing an offence under subsection (1) above.”; and

- (d) in subsection (2) for the words from “forty” to the end of the first sentence there shall be substituted the words “ £50 ”.

(2) Section 382 of the ^{M2}Burgh Police (Scotland) Act 1892 shall cease to have effect.

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 The text of ss. 6, 11, 13–22, 24, 25, 27–30, 33–38, 40, 43, 45(1), (3), 46(1)(e)(f), (2), 47–51, 53, 54, 56, 57, 79, 83(2)(3) is in the form in which it was originally enacted: it was not reproduced in Statutes in Force and does not reflect any amendments or repeals which may have been made prior to 1.2.1991.

Marginal Citations

M1 1903 c. 25.
M2 1892 c. 25.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1980, Section 56.