



Criminal Appeal Act 1995

1995 CHAPTER 35

PART III

OTHER PROVISIONS

Compensation for miscarriages of justice

28 Assessment of compensation.

In section 133 of the ^{M1}Criminal Justice Act 1988 (compensation for miscarriages of justice), after subsection (4) insert—

“(4A) In assessing so much of any compensation payable under this section to or in respect of a person as is attributable to suffering, harm to reputation or similar damage, the assessor shall have regard in particular to—

- (a) the seriousness of the offence of which the person was convicted and the severity of the punishment resulting from the conviction;
- (b) the conduct of the investigation and prosecution of the offence; and
- (c) any other convictions of the person and any punishment resulting from them.”

Marginal Citations

M1 1988 c. 33.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Criminal Appeal Act 1995, Cross
Heading: Compensation for miscarriages of justice.