



Crime and Courts Act 2013

2013 CHAPTER 22

PART 3

MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

Public order

57 Public order offences

- (1) The Public Order Act 1986 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 5(1) (harassment, alarm or distress) for “, abusive or insulting” in the two places where it occurs substitute “ or abusive ”.
- (3) In section 6(4) (mental element: miscellaneous) for “, abusive or insulting” in the two places where it occurs substitute “ or abusive ”.

Commencement Information

II [S. 57](#) in force at 1.2.2014 by [S.I. 2013/2981](#), [art. 3](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Crime and Courts Act 2013, Cross
Heading: Public order.