



Debtors Act 1869

1869 CHAPTER 62 32 and 33 Vict

PART II

PUNISHMENT OF FRAUDULENT DEBTORS

13 Penalty on fraudulently obtaining credit, &c.

Any person shall in each of the cases following be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be liable to be imprisoned for any time not exceeding one year,^{F1}; that is to say,

- (1)^{F2}
- (2) If he has with intent to defraud his creditors, or any of them, made or caused to be made any gift, delivery, or transfer of or any charge on his property:
- (3) If he has, with intent to defraud his creditors, concealed or removed any part of his property since or within two months before the date of any unsatisfied judgment or order for payment of money obtained against him.

Textual Amendments

F1 Words omitted by virtue of [Criminal Justice Act 1948 \(c. 58\), s. 1\(2\)](#)

F2 [S. 13\(1\)](#) repealed by [Theft Act 1968 \(c. 60\), Sch. 3 Pt. I](#)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 [S. 13](#) amended by [Criminal Law Act 1977 \(c. 45\), s. 16\(1\) Sch. 2 para. 6](#)

C2 [S. 13](#) amended as to mode of trial by [Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 \(c. 43, SIF 82\), s. 17, Sch. 1 para.](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Debtors Act 1869, Section 13.