

# Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012

**2012 CHAPTER 10** 

## PART 1

### LEGAL AID

## Civil legal aid

#### 9 General cases

- (1) Civil legal services are to be available to an individual under this Part if-
  - (a) they are civil legal services described in Part 1 of Schedule 1, and
  - (b) the Director has determined that the individual qualifies for the services in accordance with this Part (and has not withdrawn the determination).

(2) The Lord Chancellor may by order—

- (a) add services to Part 1 of Schedule 1, or
- (b) vary or omit services described in that Part,

(whether by modifying that Part or Part 2, 3 or 4 of the Schedule).

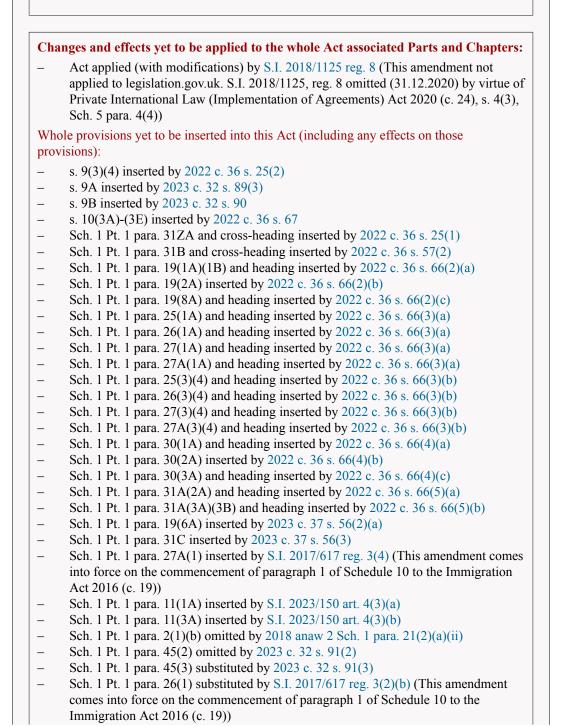
#### Changes to legislation:

Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012, Section 9 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 29 April 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.

View outstanding changes

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

- s. 9(1) words inserted by 2023 c. 32 s. 89(2)
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2016/286, art. 4(1) by
  S.I. 2017/225 art. 2



_	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 27(1) substituted by S.I. 2017/617 reg. 3(3)(b) (This amendment
	comes into force on the commencement of paragraph 1 of Schedule 10 to the
	Immigration Act 2016 (c. 19))
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 19(10) words inserted by 2023 c. 37 s. 56(2)(b)
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 31(1)(a) words inserted by S.I. 2023/147 art. 2(2)(a)
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 31(1)(a) words inserted by S.I. 2023/147 art. 2(2)(b)
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 31(1)(a) words omitted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 11 para. 2(1)
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 45(4) words omitted by 2023 c. 32 s. 91(4)
-	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 26 heading words substituted by S.I. 2017/617 reg. 3(2)(a) (This
	amendment comes into force on the commencement of paragraph 1 of Schedule 10
	to the Immigration Act 2016 (c. 19))
-	Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 27 heading words substituted by S.I. 2017/617 reg. 3(3)(a) (This
	amendment comes into force on the commencement of paragraph 1 of Schedule 10
	to the Immigration Act 2016 (c. 19))
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 3 para. 16A inserted by 2023 c. 37 s. 56(4)
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 3 para. 11(b) and word inserted by S.I. 2017/617 reg. 3(6)(b) (This
	amendment comes into force on the commencement of paragraph 1 of Schedule 10
	to the Immigration Act 2016 (c. 19))
_	Sch. 1 Pt. 3 para. 8(b) omitted by S.I. 2017/617 reg. 3(5) (This amendment comes
	into force on the commencement of paragraph 1 of Schedule 10 to the Immigration
	Act 2016 (c. 19))
-	Sch. 1 Pt. 3 para. 11(a) and word omitted by S.I. 2017/617 reg. 3(6)(a) (This
	amendment comes into force on the commencement of paragraph 1 of Schedule 10
	to the Immigration Act 2016 (c. 19))
-	Sch. 1 Pt. 4 para. 8 inserted by 2022 c. 36 s. 66(6)