



# Serious Crime Act 2015

## 2015 CHAPTER 9

### PART 2

#### COMPUTER MISUSE

#### 44 Savings

- (1) The Computer Misuse Act 1990 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 10 (saving for certain law enforcement powers)—
  - (a) for “Section 1(1) above has” substitute “ Sections 1 to 3A have ”;
  - (b) in paragraph (a), after “seizure” insert “ or of any other enactment by virtue of which the conduct in question is authorised or required ”;
  - (c) in paragraph (b), after “seizure” insert “ or of any other enactment or rule of law by virtue of which the conduct in question is authorised or required ”;
  - (d) for “the said section 1(1)” substitute “ any of those sections ”;
  - (e) for “In this section “enforcement officer” means” substitute—

“In this section—

“enactment” means any enactment, whenever passed or made, contained in—

- (a) an Act of Parliament;
- (b) an Act of the Scottish Parliament;
- (c) a Measure or Act of the National Assembly for Wales;
- (d) an instrument made under any such Act or Measure;
- (e) any other subordinate legislation (within the meaning of the Interpretation Act 1978);

“enforcement officer” means”.

- (3) In section 16 (application to Northern Ireland), after subsection (9) insert—

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“(9A) In section 10 the definition of “enactment” shall be read as including a reference to an enactment, whenever passed or made, contained in Northern Ireland legislation or in an instrument made under such legislation.”

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**Commencement Information**

**II** S. 44 in force at 3.5.2015 by S.I. 2015/820, reg. 2(d)

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