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Legislation

Criminal Procedure Act

The Criminal Procedure Act 2011 has been amended by:

- the Rights for Victims of Insane Offenders Act 2021, effective 13 December 2022; and
- the Sexual Violence Legislation Act 2021, effective 21 December 2022.

Criminal Procedure (Mentally Impaired Persons) Act

The Criminal Procedure (Mentally Impaired Persons) Act 2003 has been amended by the Rights for Victims of Insane Offenders Act 2021, effective 13 December 2022.

Evidence Act

The Evidence Act 2006 have been amended by:

- the Firearms Prohibition Orders Legislation Act 2022, effective 15 November 2022;
- the Statutes Amendment Act 2022, effective 30 November 2022; and
- the Sexual Violence Legislation Act 2021, effective 21 December 2022.

Misuse of Drugs Act

The Misuse of Drugs Act 1975 has been amended by the Misuse of Drugs (Classification and Presumption of Supply) Order 2022, effective 15 December 2022.

Commentary

Crimes Act

New commentary has been added to the Crimes Act 1961 in the following areas:

- Part 8 Crimes against the person: [CRI189A.1], [CRI189A.2].
- Part 10 Rights of property: see [CRI243.2].

Search and Surveillance Act

New commentary has been added to the Search and Surveillance Act 2012 in the following area:

• Part 4 — General provisions in relation to search, surveillance, and inspection powers: see [SSA93.3].

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