



States of Jersey Prison Service HM Prison La Moye

Important Notice of Penalties for committing offences against Articles 22, 23, 24, 25, 25A, 25B, 73 and 74 of the Prison (Jersey) Law 1957 as amended.

Article 22 assisting a prisoner to escape

Any person who aids any person in escaping or attempting to escape from the prison or other lawful custody or who, with intent to facilitate the escape of any such person, conveys anything into the prison or places anything anywhere outside the prison with a view to its coming into the possession of any such person, *shall be guilty of an offence and liable to imprisonment for a term of 10 years and to a fine.*

Article 23 Harboursing of escaped prisoner

(1) Any person who knowingly harbours a person who has escaped from the prison or other lawful custody or who, having been sentenced in any other part of the British Islands to imprisonment or detention, is otherwise unlawfully at large, or gives to any such person any assistance with intent to prevent, hinder or interfere with him or her being taken into custody, *shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to imprisonment for a term of 10 years and to a fine.*

Article 24 Conveyance of Grade 1 item into or out of prison

(1) A Grade 1 item is any of the following - a controlled drug; an article made or adapted for use in the ingestion of a controlled drug; an explosive; a firearm or ammunition; any other offensive weapon.

(2) A person is guilty of an offence if he or she - conveys a Grade 1 item into or out of the prison; causes another person to convey a Grade 1 item into or out of the prison; leaves a Grade 1 item in any place (whether inside or outside the prison) intending it to come into the possession of a prisoner; or knowing a person to be a prisoner, gives a Grade 1 item to that person.

(6) A person who is guilty of an offence under paragraph (2) *shall be liable to imprisonment for a term of 10 years and to a fine.*

Article 25 Conveyance of Grade 2 item into or out of prison

(1) A Grade 2 item is any of the following - intoxicating liquor; a personal communication device; a recording device.

(2) A person is guilty of an offence if he or she - conveys a Grade 2 item into or out of the prison; causes another person to convey a Grade 2 item into or out of the prison; leaves a Grade 2 item in any place (whether inside or outside the prison) intending it to come into the possession of a prisoner; or knowing a person to be a prisoner, gives a Grade 2 item to that person.

(7) A person who is guilty of an offence under paragraph (2) *shall be liable to imprisonment for a term of 2 years and to a fine.*

Article 25A Conveyance of Grade 3 item into or out of prison

(1) A Grade 3 item is any item that is not a Grade 1 or a Grade 2 item.

(2) A person is guilty of an offence if he or she - conveys a Grade 3 item into the prison intending it to come into the possession of a prisoner; causes another person to convey a Grade 3 item into the prison intending it to come into the possession of a prisoner; conveys a Grade 3 item out of the prison on behalf of a prisoner; causes another person to convey a Grade 3 item out of the prison on behalf of a prisoner; leaves a Grade 3 item in any place (whether inside or outside the prison) intending it to come into the possession of a prisoner; or knowing a person to be a prisoner gives a Grade 3 item to that person.

(7) A person who is guilty of an offence under paragraph (2) *shall be liable to a fine of level 3 on the standard scale.*

Article 25B Other offences relating to information and recordings

(1) A person is guilty of an offence if he or she - records an image (whether still or moving) or sound while the person is inside the prison or using a device that is inside the prison; transmits, or causes to be transmitted, any image or any sound from inside the prison by electronic communication for simultaneous reception outside the prison; brings or otherwise conveys a restricted document out of the prison, or causes a restricted document to be brought or conveyed out of the prison; or transmits, or causes to be transmitted, from inside the prison by means of electronic communication -

(i) a restricted document, or

(ii) any information derived from a restricted document,

(8) A person who is guilty of an offence under paragraph (1) *shall be liable to imprisonment for a term of 2 years and to a fine*

Any person found in possession of contraband and/or any illicit/unauthorised article will be liable for measures as necessary which may include the matter being referred to the States of Jersey Police for prosecution

The Governor, States of Jersey Prison Service