
GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

1983 No. 32

The Criminal Justice (Attendance Centre) (Occupation
and Instruction) Order, 1984~~3~~

Made the 12th day of December, 1983.

Coming into operation on the 1st day of January, 1984.

THE ISLAND POLICE COMMITTEE, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section one of the Criminal Justice (Attendance Centre) (Guernsey) Law, 1982(a), hereby orders:-

1. The Scheme set out in the Schedule to this Order shall regulate the occupation and instruction of persons attending at an attendance centre provided by the Committee under section one of the Law.

2. (1) In this Order, except where the context otherwise requires, the expression "the Law" means the Criminal Justice (Attendance Centre) (Guernsey) Law, 1982, and any other expressions have the same meanings as in the Law.

(2) The Interpretation (Guernsey) Law, 1948(b), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an enactment.

(3) Any reference in this Order to any other enactment shall, except where the context otherwise requires, be construed as including a reference to that enactment as amended, repealed or replaced, extended or applied by or under any other enactment including this Order.

3. This Order may be cited as the Criminal Justice (Attendance Centre) (Occupation and Instruction) Order, 1984~~3~~

4. This Order shall come into force on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and eighty-four.

Dated this twelfth day of December, nineteen hundred and eighty-three.

M W TORODE
President of the Island Police Committee
for and on behalf of the Committee

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- (a) Ordres en Conseil No. III of 1982.
(b) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 355.

SCHEDULE

Scheme regulating the occupation and instruction of persons
attending at an attendance centre

1. The boys who are ordered to attend an attendance centre (hereinafter referred to as "the centre") are to be divided, when numbers are sufficient, into two groups, junior and senior. Those aged 12 years or under are to be assigned to the junior group and those aged 15 or over to the senior. Boys who are 13 and 14 years of age are each to be assigned to whichever group the officer in charge thinks more suitable, having regard to their maturity or to the desirability of separating associates.
2. If the junior and senior groups attend on the same day, they are to start and finish at different times and, as far as possible, are to be given occupation and instruction out of sight of each other. The staff are to take care to prevent boys in the junior group falling under the influence of the boys in the senior group.
3. The normal period of attendance on one day is to be two hours. Ordinarily, arrangements are to be made for a boy to complete his period of attendance within six months from the date on which he first attends the centre.
4. The boys are to be inspected on arrival at the centre in relation to their general tidiness and cleanliness of appearance. When a boy attends for the first time, the officer in charge is to interview him separately and to explain the purpose of the centre and what will be expected of him during his attendance there. Ideally, a boy should also be interviewed on his final attendance thereby enabling the officer in charge to comment on the boy's progress over the period of attendance.
5. During a session of two hours the boys in the senior group are to spend not more than one hour, and those in the junior group not more than 40 minutes (including in each case changing time), in physical exercise.
6. During the remainder of the period of attendance the boys are to be given practical instruction and, so far as possible, constructive occupation in one or more handicraft, practical activity or useful skill. The subjects and methods of presentation should be such as to encourage the boys to make constructive use of their leisure after they leave the centre.
7. Subject to the restriction contained in paragraph 5 of this Scheme the officer in charge may, if he thinks fit on any particular occasion, extend or reduce the time normally allocated to any of the activities specified in paragraphs 5 and 6 of this Scheme, or omit any of them that it is impracticable to carry out.
8. Nothing in this Scheme affects -
 - (a) the duty of the officer in charge to fix the date and time of a boy's next attendance in accordance with his circumstances;
 - (b) the discretion of the officer in charge to extend to three hours or to reduce to one hour the period of a boy's attendance on any one day in accordance with his conduct or other circumstances;

- (c) the power of the officer in charge to deal with a breach of the Ordinance in accordance with the provisions of section seven of the Ordinance.

9. The officer in charge may for any sufficient reason other than a breach of the Ordinance modify the provisions of this scheme in their application to a particular boy. Every such modification shall be notified to the Committee on the return of attendance.

10. In this Scheme, except where the context otherwise requires, the expression "the Ordinance" means the Criminal Justice (Attendance Centre) Ordinance, 1983(c), and any other expressions have the same meanings as in the Ordinance.