

ELIZABETH II

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# Accessories and Abettors Act 1861

## 1861 CHAPTER 94

An Act to consolidate and amend the Statute Law of England and Ireland relating to Accessories to and Abettors of indictable Offences. [6th August 1861]

**Annotations:**

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1 Short title given by [Short Titles Act 1896 \(c. 14\)](#)
- C2 Preamble omitted under authority of [Statute Law Revision Act 1892 \(c. 19\)](#)
- C3 This Act is not necessarily in the form in which it has effect in Northern Ireland

1—7 .....<sup>F1</sup>

**Annotations:**

**Amendments (Textual)**

- F1 Ss. 1—7, 9 repealed by [Criminal Law Act 1967 \(c. 58\)](#), [Sch. 3 Pt. III](#)

*AS TO ABETTORS IN MISDEMEANORS:*

**8 Abettors in misdemeanors.**

Whosoever shall aid, abet, counsel, or procure the commission of [<sup>F2</sup>any indictable offence] , whether the same be [an offence] at common law or by virtue of any Act passed or to be passed, shall be liable to be tried, indicted, and punished as a principal offender.

*Changes to legislation:* There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Accessories and Abettors Act 1861. (See end of Document for details)

**Annotations:**

**Amendments (Textual)**

**F2** Words substituted by [Criminal Law Act 1977 \(c. 45\)](#), s. 65(7), **Sch. 12**

*AS TO OTHER MATTERS:*

**9** ..... **F3**

**Annotations:**

**Amendments (Textual)**

**F3** Ss. 1–7, 9 repealed by [Criminal Law Act 1967 \(c. 58\)](#), **Sch. 3 Pt. III**

**10 Act not to extend to Scotland.**

Nothing in this Act contained shall extend to Scotland, . . . **F4**

**Annotations:**

**Amendments (Textual)**

**F4** Words repealed by [Criminal Law Act 1967 \(c. 58\)](#), **Sch. 3 Pt. III**

**11** ..... **F5**

**Annotations:**

**Amendments (Textual)**

**F5** S. 11 repealed by [Statute Law Revision Act 1892 \(c. 19\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

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