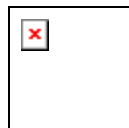


**DRAFT CRIMINAL JUSTICE (COMMUNITY SERVICE ORDERS - SENTENCING POWERS) (JERSEY)
REGULATIONS 200**

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When the Community Service legislation was drafted the maximum sentencing powers of the Magistrate's Court was limited to six months imprisonment. Because of this Article 4(2)(a) limits the number of Community Service hours that can be imposed by the Magistrate's or Youth Courts to 120. However the sentencing powers of the Magistrate's and Youth Courts were increased in October of last year allowing those Courts to impose up to twelve months imprisonment or youth custody. The Jersey Law Reports of 1990 equates 180 hours of community service with a prison sentence of 12 months.

The Criminal Justice (Community Service Orders - Sentencing Powers) (Jersey) Regulations 200- would allow the Magistrate's and Youth Courts to impose up to 180 hours Community Service which would be consistent with their custodial sentencing powers.

There are no additional financial or manpower implications for the States.

Explanatory Note

The purpose of these draft Regulations is to increase the maximum number of hours of community service that may be ordered by the Magistrate's Court or Youth Court from 120 to 180.

Criminal Justice (Community Service Orders) (Jersey) Law 2001

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(Promulgated on the day of 200-)

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THE STATES, in pursuance of Article 4(4) of Criminal Justice (Community Service Orders) (Jersey) Law 2001, [\[1\]](#) have made the following Regulations -

1. In Article 4(2)(a) of the Criminal Justice (Community Service Orders) (Jersey) Law 2001¹ for the amount “120” there shall be substituted the amount “180”.

2. These Regulations may be cited as the Criminal Justice (Community Service Orders - Sentencing Powers) (Jersey) Regulations 200 and shall come into force on the first day of June 2001.

[\[1\]](#) Recueil des Lois, Volume 2001, page 40.