

## **Offences covered by the 'Serious crime Shortcut' onto ISSP**

The list below covers those offences that have a penalty of ten years or more in the adult court. It is not intended to be exhaustive, but should assist Yots and others in determining whether alleged offences are eligible for the ISSP 'serious crime shortcut'.

### **Offences punishable with life imprisonment**

- Murder, or soliciting the commission of, or attempting or conspiring to commit murder
- Manslaughter
- Arson
- Criminal damage endangering life
- Destroying or damaging property other than an offence of arson
- Torture
- Causing explosion likely to endanger life or property
- Using explosives etc. with intent to do grievous bodily harm
- Attempt to cause explosion, or making or keeping explosive with intent to endanger life or property
- Use of firearm to resist arrest
- Possession of firearm with intent to endanger life
- Possession of firearm at time of committing or being arrested for offence specified in Firearms Act 1968
- Carrying firearm or imitation firearm with intent to commit an indictable offence or to resist arrest
- Infanticide
- Child destruction
- Exhibiting false signals with intent to bring ship into danger etc
- Importation/exportation of Class A drug
- Production or being concerned in the production of Class A drug
- Supplying or offering to supply Class A drug or being concerned in the doing of either activity by another
- Wounding with intent to cause grievous bodily harm
- Attempting to choke, suffocate or strangle in order to commit or assist in committing an indictable offence
- Using chloroform etc. to commit or assist in the committing of any indictable offence
- Causing bodily injury by explosives
- Rape
- Rape of a child under 13
- Intercourse with girl under 13
- Permitting girl under 13 to use premises for intercourse
- Assault by penetration
- Assault of a child under 13 by penetration
- Paying for sexual services of a child under 13
- Hostage-taking
- Aggravated burglary
- Treason Felony
- Robbery or assault with intent to rob
- Kidnapping
- False imprisonment
- Endangering the safety of railway passengers
- Placing wood etc on a railway, taking up rails etc turning points, showing or hiding signals etc with intent to obstruct or overthrow any engine etc
- Hijacking
- Destroying, damaging or endangering safety of aircraft
- Other acts endangering or likely to endanger safety of aircraft
- Endangering safety at aerodromes

- Hijacking of ships
- Seizing or exercising control of fixed platforms
- Destroying fixed platforms or endangering their safety
- Other acts endangering or likely to endanger safe navigation
- Impeding a person endeavouring to save himself from a shipwreck
- Offences involving threats
- Developing, producing, stockpiling, acquiring or retaining biological agents and toxins and biological weapons
- Offences relating to Channel Tunnel trains and the tunnel system
- Aiding, abetting, counselling, procuring or inciting the commission of, or conspiring or attempting to commit an offence punishable with life imprisonment

### **Offence carrying a maximum penalty of 30 years imprisonment**

- Genocide, crimes against humanity, war crimes and related offences), other than one involving murder

### **Offences carrying a maximum penalty of 14 years imprisonment**

- Burglary in a dwelling
- Burglary with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm on a person, or do unlawful damage to a building or anything in it
- Blackmail
- Handling stolen goods
- Assisting an offender to retain the benefit of his proceeds
- Importation/exportation of Class B drug
- Production or being concerned in the production of Class B drug
- Having possession of Class B drug with intent to supply
- Manufacturing or supplying a scheduled substance
- Spying, wrongful communication, etc
- Fraudulently printing, mutilating or re-issuing stamps
- Making or possession of explosives under suspicious circumstances
- Placing explosives etc. with intent to do bodily injury
- Aggravated vehicle-taking involving an accident which caused the death of any person
- Causing death by dangerous driving
- Causing death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs
- Female genital mutilation
- Assisting a girl to mutilate her own genitalia
- Assisting a non-UK person to mutilate overseas a girl's genitalia
- Burglary with intent to commit rape (building which is a dwelling)
- Abduction of woman by force or for the sake of her property
- Sexual assault of a child under 13
- Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity
- Sexual activity with a child
- Causing or inciting a child to engage in sexual activity
- Arranging or facilitating commission of a child sex offence
- Sexual activity with a person with a mental disorder impeding choice
- Causing or inciting a person with a mental disorder impeding choice to engage in sexual activity
- Inducement, threat or deception to procure sexual activity with a person with a mental disorder
- Causing a person with a mental disorder to engage in or agree to engage in sexual activity by inducement, threat or deception
- Causing or inciting child prostitution or pornography
- Controlling a child prostitute or a child involved in pornography
- Arranging or facilitating child prostitution or pornography
- Trafficking into the UK for sexual exploitation

- Trafficking within the UK for sexual exploitation
- Trafficking out of the UK for sexual exploitation
- Paying for sexual services of a child under 16
- Sexual activity with a child family member (offender aged 18+)
- Inciting a child family member to engage in sexual activity (offender aged 18+)
- Aiding, abetting, counselling, procuring or inciting the commission of, or conspiring or attempting to commit an offence carrying a maximum penalty of 14 years

### **Offences carrying a maximum penalty of 10 years imprisonment**

- Threats to kill
- Maliciously administering poison etc. so as to endanger life or inflict grievous bodily harm
- Cruelty to children
- Possession of firearm with intent to cause fear of violence
- Riot
- Indecent assault on a woman, or on a man
- Assault with intent to commit buggery
- Indecent conduct towards young child
- Indecent photographs of children
- Sexual assault
- Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent
- Engaging in sexual activity in the presence of a child
- Causing a child to watch a sexual act
- Meeting a child following sexual grooming etc.
- Engaging in sexual activity in the presence of a person with a mental disorder impeding choice
- Causing a person with a mental disorder impeding choice to watch a sexual act
- Engaging in sexual activity in the presence, procured by inducement, threat or deception, of a person with a mental disorder
- Causing a person with a mental disorder to watch a sexual act by inducement, threat or deception
- Care workers: sexual activity with a person with a mental disorder
- Care workers: causing or inciting sexual activity
- Administering a substance with intent
- Committing an offence with intent to commit a sexual offence
- Trespass with intent to commit a sexual offence
- Burglary with intent to commit rape in a building other than a dwelling
- Aiding, abetting, counselling, procuring or inciting the commission of, or conspiring or attempting to commit an offence carrying a maximum penalty of 10 years