

THE FLOGGING REGULATION ACT

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Cap. 131.

[21st March, 1903.]

1. This Act may be cited as the Flogging Regulation Act. Short title.

2. When a person is convicted of any offence legally punishable by flogging, the sentence awarded by the Court for such offence shall not, anything in any law of this Island to the contrary notwithstanding, exceed the number of twenty-four strokes in the case of adults, and twelve strokes in the case of juvenile offenders, and the number of strokes shall be stated by the Court in such sentence. Limitation of strokes.

3. When a person is convicted at one trial of any two or more distinct offences, any two or more of which are legally punishable by flogging, the combined sentences awarded by the Court for any such offences shall not, anything in any law of the Island to the contrary notwithstanding, exceed a total number of twenty-four strokes in the case of adults, and twelve strokes in the case of juvenile offenders. Combined sentences at one trial.

4. When any sentence of flogging shall be passed by the lawful authority upon any prisoner for breach of any prison or other regulation, the total number of strokes to be inflicted under such sentence shall not exceed twenty-four in the case of adults, and twelve in the case of juvenile offenders; and no prisoner shall be liable to more than one such sentence in respect of the acts or omissions in respect of which he shall have been sentenced as aforesaid. Sentences for breach of prison regulations, etc.