

ANNEX 20C

**ADMINISTRATIVE CONSEQUENCES OF PUNISHMENT UNDER ARMED FORCES ACT 2006
– OFFICERS, RATINGS AND ROYAL MARINES OTHER RANKS**

The Table below lists the administrative actions which are to be taken automatically (obligatory), or which may be taken (optional), when a member of the Naval Service is punished under the Armed Forces Act 2006. These administrative consequences apply whether the punishment is awarded at Summary Hearing, by the Summary Appeal Court or by the Court Martial. This Table is for guidance only. The relevant articles should be consulted.

AFA 06 Punishment	Forfeiture of LS&GC Medal (see Note 1)	Forfeiture of GCBs (see Note 2)	Career Check (Rating, SNCO or RMOR) (see Note 3)	Note on Official Record (Officers)	Explanatory Notes	References
Imprisonment	Obligatory	Obligatory (all badges)	Obligatory (See notes 3 and 4)	Obligatory	a. May only be awarded by Court Martial. b. Administrative discharge from the Service will be considered if dismissal is not awarded with imprisonment. See para 6 above. c. If neither dismissal nor administrative discharge: CC with consequent effect on promotion (BR3 Part 8), and eligibility for GCBs, LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5); stoppage of pay for period of imprisonment; loss of time for the period of the sentence awarded less any remission (i.e. time spent in custody). A CC has no effect when recorded on the CR of an individual aged under 17½.	
Dismissal	Obligatory	Obligatory (all badges)	Obligatory (See note 4)	Obligatory	a. May only be awarded by Court Martial.	

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Detention and Suspended Detention > 14 days	Obligatory	Obligatory (all badges)	Obligatory (See notes 3 and 4)	N/A	<p>a. Punishment not available for Officers.</p> <p>b. CC with consequent effect on promotion (BR3 Section 8), and eligibility for GCBs, LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5). A CC has no effect when recorded on the CR of an individual aged under 17½.</p> <p>c. Stoppage of pay for period of Detention. A family maintenance grant may be available at CO's discretion (JSP 754 Chap 8).</p> <p>d. Except in connection with advancement, loss of time for the period of the sentence awarded less any remission.</p>	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 34 - 44
Detention and Suspended Detention 14 days or less	Optional (See Note 1)	Optional (See Note 2)	N/A	N/A	<p>a. Punishment not available to Officers.</p> <p>b. Stoppage of pay for period of Detention. A family maintenance grant may be available at CO's discretion (JSP 754 Chap 8).</p> <p>c. Except in connection with advancement, loss of time for the period of the sentence awarded less any remission.</p>	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 34 - 44
Forfeiture of Seniority	Obligatory	N/A	N/A	Obligatory	Available for Officers only.	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 85 - 93
Reduction in Rank/Disrating	Obligatory	Optional (See Note 2)	Obligatory (See note 4)	N/A	<p>a. Not available for Officers.</p> <p>b. CC with consequent effect on promotion, and eligibility for GCBs, LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5). A CC has no effect when recorded on the CR of an individual aged under 17½.</p>	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 94 - 104
Fine >14 days pay	Obligatory (See Note 1)	Optional (See Note 2)	Obligatory (See note 4)	Obligatory	a. CC with consequent effect on promotion, and eligibility for GCBs, LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5).	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 105 - 122
Fine 14 days pay or less	Optional (See Note 1)	Optional (See Note 2)	Obligatory for WO	Optional	a. CC with consequent effect on promotion, and eligibility for GCBs, LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5).	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 105 - 122
Severe Reprimand	Optional (See Note 1)	Optional (See Note 2)	Obligatory (See note 4)	Obligatory	a. CC with consequent effect on promotion and eligibility for GCBs, LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5). A CC has no effect when recorded on the CR of an individual aged under 17½.	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 123 - 126

Reprimand	Optional (See Note 1)	Optional (See Note 2)	Obligatory for WO	Optional	a. CC with consequent effect on eligibility for LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5).	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 123 - 126
Service Supervision & Punishment Order	Obligatory	Obligatory (All badges)	Obligatory (See notes 3 and 4)	N/A	a. Not available for Officers. b. CC with consequent effect on promotion and eligibility for GCBs, LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5). A CC has no effect when recorded on the CR of an individual aged under 17½.	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 68 - 84
Service Compensation Order > 14 days pay	Optional (See Note 1)	Optional (See Note 2)	Obligatory (See note 4)	Optional	a. CC with consequent effect on promotion eligibility for GCBs, and LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5). A CC has no effect when recorded on the CR of an individual aged under 17½.	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 152 - 179
Service Compensation Order 14 days pay or less	Optional (See Note 1)	Optional (See Note 2)	Obligatory for WO	Optional	a. CC with consequent effect on eligibility for GCBs, and LS&GC and MSM (JSP 761 Ch 5).	JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 152 - 179
Restriction of Privileges	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 par 136 - 148
Stoppage of leave	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 127 - 135
Admonition	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		JSP 830 MSL Chap 13 para 149

Notes:

1. *This Table defines the consequence of punishment under AFA 06 on eligibility to hold LS&GC medal for members of the Naval Service. In addition, the offences listed in JSP 761 Annex B will normally preclude the award of the LS&CG Medal, or result in forfeiture of the medal where already held. This is not dependent on punishment awarded, but is a separate issue. All such offences should be reported to Naval Secretary (Honours and Awards), Navy Command Headquarters, Leach Building (MP 3.1), Whale Island, Portsmouth, PO2 8BY. In addition, where any punishment gives rise to optional forfeiture of LS&GC medal, the offence is to be reported to the Naval Secretary (Honours and Awards).*

2. *Where forfeiture of GCBs is obligatory, all badges are to be forfeit. Where forfeiture is optional, any number of badges may be forfeit. See Chapter 20 Section 15 for guidance as to whether badges should be forfeit, and JSP 761 Chapter 5 Annex B Appendix 1 for restoration). Where forfeiture of a GCB is ordered the offence is to be reported to the Naval Secretary (Honours and Awards).*
3. *Where detention or imprisonment is awarded, the CC date used for calculating future eligibilities is the date of release from custody. If a sentence of imprisonment/detention is suspended, the CC date is the date of conviction. Where the punishment is an SSPO, the CC date used for calculating future eligibilities is the last day of the SSPO (may be awarded for 30, 60 or 90 days duration).*
4. *Whenever a CC is awarded the offence is to be reported to the Naval Secretary (Honours and Awards). A CC at any time after the MSM has been awarded will automatically result in its forfeiture (JSP 761 Annex 5A article 16). If the holder of an MSM comes to adverse disciplinary notice short of the award of a CC the circumstances are nevertheless to be reported to the Naval Secretary (Honours and Awards), Navy Command HQ where suitability to continue to hold the MSM will be considered.*