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## **Juvenile Offenders**

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## **JUVENILE OFFENDERS RULES, 1933**

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These rules were made on 9th March, 1933 by the Minister under section 18 of the Juvenile Offenders Act.

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- 1. These Rules may be cited as the *Juvenile Offenders Rules*, 1933 p. 103. 1933.
- 2. Juvenile Courts shall be held on fixed days as far as is 1943 p. 230. practicable.
- 3. Every Magistrate shall notify the Probation Officers a 1951 p. 313. reasonable time before each sitting of a juvenile court of the names and addresses of the children or young persons to be tried at such sitting.
- **4.** It shall be the duty of the Probation Officers sometime 1951 p. 314. before such sitting to interview the parents or guardians of such children or young persons and whenever possible obtain their school records.
- 5. It shall be lawful for a Probation Officer to interview any child or young person who has been remanded into custody or who has been detained.
- 6. Whenever in the opinion of the Magistrate a child or young person is in need of medical treatment such Magistrate shall make application for such medical treatment for the child or young person and if such application is granted it shall be the duty of the Probation Officers to ensure that such child or young person attends for such treatment.
- 7. When a child or young person is to be brought, before any 1951 p. 314. court in respect of an offence alleged to have been committed by him, the person bringing the child or young person before the court shall as soon as possible and in any event before the lodging

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of the complaint, notify the Probation Officer of the nature of the charge and furnish him with such further particulars in relation thereto as he may require.

- 8. (1) If any person acts in contravention of or fails to comply with any of the requirements of Rule 7, he shall be guilty of an offence and liable, on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding \$20.
- (2) Proceedings against any person in respect of such offence shall be instituted only by the Probation Officer.