



# CLASSIFICATION OF BNS 2023 OFFENCES UNDER THE JUVENILE JUSTICE ACT

# PETTY OFFENCES

As defined under Section 2(45) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, petty offences are those punishable by a maximum imprisonment of up to three years.



<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 118	Sec. 58(b)	Concealing design to commit offence punishable with death or life imprisonment
Sec. 120 B	Sec. 61 (2)(b)	Criminal conspiracy
Sec. 228 (1) & (2)	Sec.72	Disclosure of identity of victim
Sec. 228A (3)	Sec. 73	Printing or publishing any matter relating to court proceedings without permission
Sec. 354A & B	Sec. 75	Sexual harassment
Sec. 354C	Sec. 77	Voyeurism, but a repeat offence makes it serious
Sec. 354D	Sec. 78	Stalking, but a repeat offence makes it serious
Sec. 509	Sec. 79	Word, gesture or act intended to insult modesty of a woman
Sec. 498	Sec. 84	Enticing or taking away or detaining with criminal intent a married woman
Sec. 498A	Sec. 85	Cruelty by husband or relative of husband
Sec. 312	Sec. 88	Causing miscarriage, but if the woman is quick with the child, then it is a serious offence

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 318	Sec. 94	Concealment of birth by secret disposal of dead body
Sec. 304 A (106(2) of BNS is a newly added section)	Sec. 106(1)	Causing death by medical negligence, other forms of negligence constitute a serious offence
Sec. 308	Sec. 110	Attempt to commit culpable homicide
Sec. 323	Sec. 115	Voluntarily causing hurt
Sec. 324	Sec. 118(1)	Voluntarily causing hurt or grievous hurt by dangerous weapons or means
Sec. 335	Sec. 122(1)	Voluntarily causing hurt or grievous hurt on provocation
Sec. 336	Sec. 125	Act endangering life or personal safety of others
Sec. 341	Sec. 126	Wrongful restraint
Sec. 343, 345, 346, 347 & 348	Sec. 127 (2), (3), (5), (6), (7) & (8)	Wrongful confinement
Sec. 352, 353, 355, 356, 357, 358	Sec. 131 to 136	Offences related to assault or criminal force
Sec. 374	Sec. 146	Unlawful compulsory labour
Sec. 133 & 135	Sec. 161 & 163	Abetment of assault or desertion by soldier, sailor or airman

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 136	Sec. 164	Harbouring deserter
Sec. 138	Sec. 166	Abetment of act of insubordination by soldier
Sec. 140	Sec. 168	Wearing garb or carrying token used by soldier
Sec. 171E	Sec. 173	Punishment for bribery
Sec. 171F	Sec. 174	Punishment for undue influence or personation at an election
Sec. 261	Sec. 183	Effacing writing from substance bearing government stamp, or removing from document a stamp used for it
Sec. 262	Sec. 184	Using government stamp known to have been before used
Sec. 263	Sec. 185	Erasure of mark
Sec. 142, 145, 144, 151, 150, 157, & 158	Sec. 189	Unlawful assembly
Sec. 147	Sec. 191(2)	Rioting
Sec. 153	Sec. 192	Wantonly giving provocation with intent to cause riot
Sec. 159	Sec. 194	Affray

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 152	Sec. 195	Assaulting or obstructing public servant when suppressing riot
Sec. 153A	Sec. 196(1)	Promoting enmity between different groups, except in religious places which is a serious offence
Sec. 153 B & Section 197 (1)(d) in BNS is a newly added one	Sec. 197(1)	Imputations and assertions prejudicial to national integration, except in religious places which is a serious offence
Sec. 166 & 166A	Sec. 198 & 199	Public servant disobeying law or direction under law
Sec. 166B	Sec. 200	Punishment for non-treatment of victim
Sec. 167	Sec. 201	Public servant framing an incorrect document with intent to cause injury
Sec. 168	Sec. 202	Public servant unlawfully engaging in trade
Sec. 169	Sec. 203	Public servant unlawfully buying or bidding for property
Sec. 170	Sec. 204	Impersonating a public servant
Sec. 171	Sec. 205	Wearing garb or carrying token used by public servant with fraudulent intent
Sec. 172	Sec. 206	Absconding service to avoid service of summons
Sec. 173	Sec. 207	Preventing service of summons, etc



<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 174	Sec. 208	Non-attendance in obedience to an order from public servant
Sec. 174A	Sec. 209	Non-appearance in response to a proclamation under Section 84 of BNS. 84(1) is petty and 84(4) is serious
Sec. 175	Sec. 210	Omission to produce document or to public servant
Sec. 176	Sec. 211	Omission to give notice or information to public servant
Sec. 177	Sec. 212	Furnishing false information
Sec. 178	Sec. 213	Refusing oath or affirmation
Sec. 179	Sec. 214	Refusing to answer a public servant
Sec. 180	Sec. 215	Refusing to sign statement
Sec. 181	Sec. 216	False statement on oath or affirmation to public servant or person authorised
Sec. 182	Sec. 217	False information to public servant
Sec. 183	Sec. 218	Resistance to taking of property by lawful authority
Sec. 184	Sec. 219	Obstructing sale of property by lawful authority

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 185	Sec. 220	Illegal purchase or bid for property
Sec. 186	Sec. 221	Obstructing public servant
Sec. 187	Sec. 222	Omission to assist public servant
Sec. 188	Sec. 223	Disobedience to public servant's order
Sec. 189	Sec. 224	Threat of injury to public servant
Sec. 190	Sec. 225	Threat of injury to induce person to refrain from applying for protection to public servant
New	Sec. 226	Attempt to commit suicide to compel or restrain exercise of lawful power
Sec. 193	Sec. 229(2)	Punishment for false evidence
Sec. 196	Sec. 233	Using evidence known to be false
Sec. 197	Sec. 234	Issuing or signing false certificate
Sec. 198	Sec. 235	Using as true a certificate known to be false
Sec. 199	Sec. 236	False statement made in declaration



<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 200	Sec. 237	Using false declaration as true
Sec. 201	Sec. 238(b)	Causing disappearance of evidence of offence
Sec. 202	Sec. 239	Intentional omission to give information of offence
Sec. 203	Sec. 240	Giving false information
Sec. 204	Sec. 241	Destruction of document or electronic record
Sec. 205	Sec. 242	False personation
Sec. 206	Sec. 243	Fraudulent removal or concealment of property
Sec. 207	Sec. 244	Fraudulent claim to property
Sec. 208	Sec. 245	Fraudulently suffering decree for sum not due
Sec. 209	Sec. 246	Dishonestly making false claim in court
Sec. 210	Sec. 247	Fraudulently obtaining decree for sum not due
Sec. 212	Sec. 249(b)	Harbouring offender

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 213	Sec. 250(b)	Taking gift, etc., to screen an offender from punishment
Sec. 214	Sec. 251(b)	Offering gift or restoration of property in consideration of screening offender
Sec. 215	Sec. 252	Taking gift to help to recover stolen property, etc
Sec. 216	Sec. 253(b)	Harbouring offender who has escaped
Sec. 217	Sec. 255	Public servant disobeying direction of law
Sec. 218	Sec. 256	Public servant framing incorrect record
Sec. 221	Sec. 259(b)(c)	Intentional omission to apprehend on part of public servant bound to apprehend
Sec. 222	Sec. 260(c)	Intentional omission to apprehend on part of public servant bound to apprehend person under sentence or lawfully committed
Sec. 223	Sec. 261	Escape from confinement or custody
Sec. 224	Sec. 262	Resistance or obstruction by a person
Sec. 225	Sec. 263(a)(b)	Resistance or obstruction to lawful apprehension of another person
Sec. 225A	Sec. 264(a)(b)	Omission to apprehend, or sufferance of escape, on part of public servant, in cases not otherwise provided for

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 225B	Sec. 265	Resistance or obstruction to lawful apprehension
Sec. 228	Sec. 267	Intentional insult or interruption to public servant sitting in judicial proceeding
Sec. 229	Sec. 268	Personation of assessor
Sec. 229A	Sec. 269	Failure by person related on bail bond or bond to appear in court
Sec. 269	Sec. 271	Negligent act likely to spread infection of disease dangerous to life
Sec. 270	Sec. 272	Malignant act likely to spread infection of disease dangerous to life
Sec. 271	Sec. 273	Disobedience to quarantine rule
Sec. 272	Sec. 274	Adulteration of food or drink intended for sale
Sec. 273	Sec. 275	Sale of noxious food or drink
Sec. 274	Sec. 276	Adulteration of drugs
Sec. 275	Sec. 277	Sale of adulterated drugs
Sec. 276	Sec. 278	Sale of drug as a different drug or preparation

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 277	Sec. 279	Fouling water of public spring or reservoir
Sec. 279	Sec. 281	Rash driving on a public way
Sec. 280	Sec. 282	Rash navigation of vessel
Sec. 282	Sec. 284	Conveying person by water for hire in unsafe or overloaded vessel
Sec. 284, 285, 286, 287, 289	Sec. 286, 287, 288, 289, 290 & 291	Offences relating to negligent conduct
Sec. 291	Sec. 293	Continuance of nuisance after injunction to discontinue
Sec. 292	Sec. 294	Sale, etc., of obscene books, etc
Sec. 293	Sec. 295	Sale, etc., of obscene objects to child - Continuous offence is a serious offence
Sec. 294	Sec. 296	Obscene acts and songs
Sec. 294A	Sec. 297	Keeping lottery office
Sec. 295	Sec. 298	Injuring or defiling place of worship
Sec. 295A	Sec. 299	Deliberate and malicious acts
Sec. 296	Sec. 300	Disturbing religious assembly

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 297	Sec. 301	Trespassing on burial places, etc
Sec. 298	Sec. 302	Uttering words, etc. with deliberate intention to wound religious feelings
Sec. 379	Sec. 303	Theft
New	Sec. 304	Snatching
Sec. 385	Sec. 308(3)	Extortion
Sec. 403	Sec. 314	Dishonest misappropriation of property
Sec. 404	Sec. 315	Dishonest misappropriation of deceased property
Sec. 411 & 414	Sec. 317(2)(5)	Stolen property
Sec. 417	Sec. 318(2)	Cheating
Sec. 421	Sec. 320	Dishonest or fraudulent removal or concealment of property
Sec. 422	Sec. 321	Dishonestly or fraudulently preventing debt for creditors
Sec. 423	Sec. 322	Dishonest or fraudulent execution of deed

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 424	Sec. 323	Dishonest or fraudulent removal or concealment of property
Sec. 426, 427. Subsection 3- newly added provision	Sec. 324(2)(3)(4)	Mischief
Sec. 430	Sec. 326(e)	Mischief by injury, inundation, fire or explosive substance, etc
Sec. 447 & 448	Sec. 329	Criminal trespass and house-trespass
Sec. 453	Sec. 331(1)(2)	Punishment for house-trespass or house breaking
Sec. 450	Sec. 332(c)	House-trespass in order to commit offence
Sec. 462	Sec. 334	Dishonestly breaking open receptacle containing property
Sec. 465 & 469	Sec.336(2) & (4)	Forgery
New Section	Sec. 341(3)	Making or possessing counterfeit seal, etc. with intent to commit forgery
Sec. 489, 483, 484,485,486 & 488	Sec. 345, 346, 347, 348, 349 & 350	Offences related to tampering or misusing property
Sec. 506 & 507	Sec. 351(2) & (4)	Criminal intimidation
Sec. 504	Sec. 352	Intentional insult with intent to provoke breach of peace

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 505	Sec. 353	Statements conducing to public mmischief
Sec. 508	Sec. 354	Act caused by inducing person
Sec. 510	Sec. 355	Misconduct in public by a drunken person
Sec. 500, 501 & 502	Sec. 356	Defamation
Sec. 491	Sec. 357	Breach of contract



# SERIOUS OFFENCES

Section 2(54) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, defines serious offences. Initially, it included offences punishable with a minimum of three years and a maximum of seven years imprisonment. After the 2021 amendment, it also covers offences with a maximum punishment of more than seven years but where no minimum punishment is specified.



<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 115	Sec. 55	Abetment of any offence which is punishable with death or imprisonment for life
Sec. 117	Sec. 57	Abetting commission of offence by public or by more ten persons
Sec. 118	Sec. 58(a)	Concealing design to commit offence punishable with death or imprisonment for life (only if the offence is committed)
Sec. 119	Sec. 59	Public servant concealing design to commit offence which it is his duty to prevent
Sec. 376B	Sec. 67	Sexual intercourse by husband upon his wife during separation
Sec. 376C	Sec. 68	Sexual intercourse by a person in authority
New Section	Sec. 69	Sexual intercourse by employing deceitful means, etc
Sec. 354	Sec. 74	Assault or use of criminal force to woman with intent to outrage her modesty
Sec. 354B	Sec. 76	Assault or use of criminal force to women with intent to disrobe
Sec. 354C	Sec. 77	Voyeurism is a petty offence, but a repeat offence makes it serious
Sec. 354D	Sec. 78	Stalking; first time is a petty offence, repeated offence makes it serious

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 493	Sec. 81	Cohabitation caused by a man deceitfully inducing belief of lawful marriage
Sec. 495	Sec. 82	Marrying again during lifetime of husband or wife
Sec. 496	Sec. 83	Marriage ceremony, fraudulently gone through without lawful marriage
Sec. 366	Sec. 87	Kidnapping, abducting or inducing woman to compel her marriage, etc
Sec. 312	Sec. 88	Causing miscarriage is a petty offence but if the woman is quick with the child, then it is a serious offence
Sec. 313	Sec. 89	Causing miscarriage without woman's consent
Sec. 314	Sec. 90	Death caused by act done with intent to cause miscarriage
Sec. 315	Sec. 91	Act done with intent to prevent child being born alive or to cause to die after birth
Sec. 316	Sec. 92	Causing death of quick unborn child by act amounting to culpable homicide
Sec. 317	Sec. 93	Exposure and abandonment of child under 12 years of age, by parent or person having care of it
New Section	Sec. 95	Hiring, employing or engaging a child to commit an offence
Sec. 366A	Sec. 96	Procuration of child

IPC	BNS	OFFENCE
Sec. 369	Sec 97.	Kidnapping or abducting child under 10 years of age with intent to steal from its person
Sec. 372	Sec. 98	Selling child for purposes of prostitution, etc
Sec. 304	Sec. 105	Punishment for culpable homicide not amounting to murder
Sec. 304A	Sec. 106	Causing death by negligence is serious offence except where death is caused by a registered medical practitioner, which is a petty offence
Sec. 305	Sec. 107	Abetment of suicide of child or person of unsound mind
Sec. 306	Sec. 108	Abetment of suicide
Sec. 307	Sec. 109	Attempt to murder
Sec. 308	Sec. 110	Attempt to commit culpable homicide is a petty offence but if hurt is caused then it is a serious offence
New Section	Sec. 111	Organised crime is a serious offence except such offence resulted in death which is a heinous offence
New Section	Sec. 112	Petty organised crime
New Section	Sec. 113	Terrorist act is a serious offence exception Section 113(2)(a) which is a heinous offence
Section 325. (Section 117 (4) of BNS is a new offence)	Sec. 117(2) & (4)	Voluntarily causing grievous hurt is a serious offence except Section 117 (3) which is a heinous offence

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 326, 327, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 335, 328, 326B	Sec. 118(2), 119, 120, 121, 122(2), 123, 124(2)	Offences related to voluntarily causing hurt or grievous hurt
Sec. 344	Sec. 127(4)	Wrongful confinement is a petty offence except detaining for 10 days or more, which is a serious offence
Sec. 363	Sec. 137	Kidnapping
Sec. 364, 365 & 367	Sec. 140(1), (3) & (4)	Kidnapping or abducting in order to murder or for ransom etc. except to compel the government of foreign state is a serious offence
Sec. 366B	Sec. 141	Importation of girl or boy from foreign country
Sec. 368	Sec. 142	Wrongfully concealing or keeping in confinement, kidnapped or abducted person
Sec. 370A	Sec. 144	Exploitation of a trafficked person
Sec. 371	Sec. 145	Habitual dealing in slaves
Sec. 121A	Sec. 148	Conspiracy to commit offences punishable by Section 147
Sec. 122	Sec. 149	Collecting arms, etc. with intention of waging war against the Government of India
Sec.123	Sec. 150	Concealing with intent to facilitate design to wage war
Sec. 124	Sec. 151	Assaulting President, Governor, etc, with intent to compel or restrain exercise of lawful power

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
New Section	Sec. 152	Act endangering sovereignty, unity and integrity of India
Sec. 125	Sec. 153	Waging war against government of any foreign state at peace with Government of India
Sec. 126	Sec. 154	Depredation on territories of foreign state at peace with Government of India
Sec. 127	Sec. 155	Receiving property taken by war or depredation mentioned in sections 153 and 154
Sec. 128	Sec. 156	Public servant voluntarily allowing prisoner of state or war to escape
Sec. 129	Sec. 157	Public servant negligently suffering such prisoner to escape
Sec. 130	Sec. 158	Aiding escape of, rescuing or harbouring such prisoner
Sec. 131	Sec. 159	Abetting mutiny, or attempting to seduce a soldier, sailor or airman from his duty
Sec. 132	Sec. 160	Abetment of mutiny, if mutiny is committed in consequence thereof
Sec. 134	Sec. 162	Abetment of such assault, if the assault committed
Sec. 230 to 232, 246 to 249, 255 & 489A	Sec. 178	Counterfeiting coin, government stamps, currency-notes or bank-notes
Sec. 237 to 241, 250, 251, 254, 258, 260 & 489 B	Sec. 179	Using as genuine, forged or counterfeit coin, government stamp, currency-notes or bank-notes

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 242, 243, 253, 259 & 489C	Sec. 180	Possession of forged or counterfeit coin, government stamp, currency-notes or bank-notes
Sec. 233, 235, 256, 257 & 289D	Sec. 181	Making or possessing instruments or materials for forging or counterfeiting coin, government stamp, currency-notes or bank-notes
Sec. 244	Sec. 187	Person employed in mint causing coin to be different weight or composition from that fixed by law
Sec. 245	Sec. 188	Unlawfully taking coining instrument from mint
Sec. 148	Sec. 191(3)	Rioting being armed with a deadly weapon or with anything, which used as a weapon of offence, is likely to cause death, etc
Sec. 153A	Sec. 196(2)	Promoting enmity between different groups on grounds of religion, race, place of birth, residence, language, etc. and doing acts prejudicial to maintenance of harmony
Sec. 153B	Sec. 197(2)	Imputations, assertions prejudicial to national integration
Sec. 174A	Sec. 209	Non-appearance in response to a proclamation under Section 84 of BNS is a Petty offence. But if the proclamation is issued under Sub-section (4) Section 84 then it is a serious offence
Sec. 193	Sec. 229(1)	Punishment for false evidence
Sec. 194	Sec. 230	Giving or fabricating false evidence with intent to procure conviction of capital offence



IPC	BNS	OFFENCE
Sec. 195A	Sec. 232(1)	Threatening any person to give false evidence
Sec. 201	Sec. 238(a)	Causing disappearance of evidence of offence, or giving false information to screen offender
Sec. 211	Sec. 248(a)	False charge of offence made with intent to injure
Sec. 212	Sec. 249(a)	Harbouring offender
Sec. 213	Sec. 250(a)	Taking gift, etc., to screen an offender from punishment
Sec. 214	Sec. 251(a)	Offering gift or restoration of property in consideration of screening offender
Sec. 216	Sec. 253(a)	Harbouring offender who has escaped from custody or whose apprehension has been ordered
Sec. 216A	Sec. 254	Penalty for harbouring robbers or dacoits
Sec. 219	Sec. 257	Public servant in judicial proceeding corruptly making report, etc., contrary to law
Sec.220	Sec. 258	Commitment for trial or confinement by person having authority who knows that he is acting contrary to law

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 221	Sec. 259(a)	Intentional omission to apprehend on part of public servant bound to apprehend
Sec. 222	Sec. 260(a)(b)	Intentional omission to apprehend on part of public servant bound to apprehend person under sentence or lawfully committed
Sec. 225	Sec. 263 (c), (d), (e)	Resistance or obstruction to lawful apprehension of another person
Sec. 281	Sec. 283	Exhibition of false light, mark or buoy
Sec. 292	Sec. 294(2)(e)	Sale, etc., of obscene books, etc
Sec. 293	Sec. 295	Sale, etc., of obscene objects to child - Continuous offence is a serious offence
Sec. 379	Sec. 303(2)	Theft- Continuous offence is a serious offence
Sec. 380	Sec. 305	Theft in a dwelling house, or means of transportation or place of worship etc.
Sec. 381	Sec. 306	Theft by clerk or servant of property in possession of master
Sec. 382	Sec. 307	Theft after preparation made for causing death, hurt or restraint in order to committing of theft

<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 384, 387, 386, 89	Sec. 308 (2),(4), (5), (7)	Extortion
Sec. 392	Sec. 309	Robbery
Sec. 395, 399, 402 & 400	Sec. 310 (2), (4), (5)& (6)	Dacoity
Sec. 401	Sec. 313	Punishment for belonging to gang of robbers, etc.
Sec. 404	Sec. 315	Dishonest misappropriation of property possessed by deceased person at the time of his death is punished as a petty offence. If the offender at the time of such person's death was employed by him as a clerk or servant, then it's a serious offence
Sec. 405-409	Sec. 316	Criminal breach of trust
Sec. 412 & 413	Sec. 317(3), (4)	Stolen property
Sec. 418 & 420	Sec. 318(3), (4)	Cheating
Sec. 419	Sec. 319	Cheating by personation

IPC	BNS	OFFENCE
(5)-new & Sec. 440	Sec. 324(5)& (6)	Mischief
Sec. 428 & 429	Sec. 325	Mischief by killing or maiming animal
Sec. 430-433, 435 & 436	Sec.326 (a)(b)(c)(d) (f) (g)	Mischief by injury, inundation, fire or explosive substance, etc
Sec. 437	Sec. 327	Mischief with intent to destroy or make unsafe a rail, aircraft, decked vessel or one of twenty tons burden
Sec. 439	Sec. 328	Punishment for intentionally running vessel aground or ashore with intent to commit theft, etc
Sec. 454, 457, 455, 458, 459 & 460	Sec. 331 (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8)	Punishment for house-trespass or house-breaking
Sec. 449 & 450	Sec. 332(a) & (b)	Whoever commits house-trespass in order to the committing of any offence
Sec. 452	Sec. 333	House-trespass after preparation for hurt, assault or wrongful restraint
Sec. 466, 467, 474, 470 & 471	Sec. 337, 338,339, 340	Offences related to forgery

IPC	BNS	OFFENCE
Sec. 475 & 476	Sec. 341(1) & (2)	Making or possessing counterfeit seal, etc., with intent to commit forgery punishable under Section 338
Sec. 476 & 477	Sec. 342	Counterfeiting device or mark used for authenticating documents described in Section 338, or possessing counterfeit marked material
Sec. 477	Sec. 343	Fraudulent cancellation, destruction, etc., of will, authority to adopt, or valuable security
Sec. 477A	Sec. 344	Falsification of accounts
Sec. 506	Sec. 351(3)	Criminal intimidation
Sec. 505	Sec. 353(3)	Statements conducing to public mischief

# HEINOUS OFFENCES

Heinous offences, as per Section 2(33) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, include those punishable with a minimum of seven years imprisonment or more, up to life imprisonment or death.



<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
Sec. 376(3) ,(2), Sec. 376 & 376 AB	Sec. 64 & 65	Punishment for rape
Sec. 376A	Sec. 66	Punishment for causing death or resulting in persistent vegetative state of victim
Sec. 376 D & 376 DB	Sec. 70 (1) (2)	Gang Rape (2) Gang rape on women under the age of 18 (Age increased from 16 years to 18 years in this offence)
Sec. 376E	Sec. 71	Punishment for repeat offenders (Sec. 64, 65, 66, 70)
Sec. 304B	Sec. 80	Dowry death
Sec. 373	Sec. 99	Buying child for purposes of prostitution, etc
Sec. 302	Sec. 103 (1) & (2)	Punishment for murder
Sec. 303	Sec. 104	Punishment for murder by life-convict
Sec. 307	Sec. 109(2)	Attempt to murder by life-convict (when hurt is caused)
Newly added section. (In BNS)	Sec. 111(2)(a)	Organised crime is serious offence except S.111(2)(a), which is a heinous offence
New Section	Sec. 113(2)(a)	Terrorist act



<b>IPC</b>	<b>BNS</b>	<b>OFFENCE</b>
New Section	Sec. 117(3)	Voluntarily causing grievous hurt
Sec. 326A	Sec. 124(1)	Voluntarily causing grievous hurt by use of acid, etc
Sec. 363A	Sec. 139(1) & (2)	Kidnapping or maiming a child for purposes of begging
Sec. 364A	Sec. 140(2)	Kidnapping or abducting in order to murder or for ransom etc except to compel the government of foreign state is a serious offence
Sec. 370	Sec.143(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)(7)	Trafficking of a person
Sec. 121	Sec. 147	Waging, or attempting to wage war, or abetting waging of war, against Government of India
Sec. 195A	Sec. 232(2)	Threatening any person to give false evidence
Sec. 396, 399, 402 & 400	Sec. 310(3)	Dacoity
Sec. 397	Sec. 311	Robbery, or dacoity, with attempt to cause death, or grievous hurt
Sec. 398	Sec. 312	Attempt to commit robbery or dacoity when armed with deadly weapon

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## SECTION 58 (B)

Concealing design to commit offence punishable with death or life imprisonment

## SECTION 61 (2)(B)

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