

Offences of violence

A person found guilty of an 'offence of violence' cannot be granted a licence under the Firearms Act for 5 years.

"offence of violence" means -

- (a) an offence prescribed by the Regulations to be an offence of violence; or
- (b) an offence against a law, or a repealed law, of the Territory or another jurisdiction (including a jurisdiction outside Australia) that substantially corresponds to an offence mentioned in paragraph (a);

Offences of Violence under the NT Criminal Code Act 1983

| Section | Offence | Section | Offence | Section | Offence |
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| 57 | Interference with Legislative Assembly | 58 | Influencing Legislative Assembly member | 69 | Go armed in public (where a custodial sentence was imposed) |
| 70 | Challenge to fight likely to cause death or serious harm (where a custodial sentence was imposed) | 125 | Offering violence to officiating ministers of religion (where a custodial sentence was imposed) | 148C | Threatening to contaminate goods with intent to cause public alarm or economic loss |
| 148D | Making false statements concerning contamination of goods with intent to cause public alarm or economic loss | 155A | Assault, obstruction etc of persons providing rescue, medical treatment or other aid (unless custodial sentence imposed) | 166 | Threats to kill (unless custodial sentence imposed) |
| 174C | Recklessly endangering life | 174D | Recklessly endangering serious harm | 185 | Setting man traps (unless custodial sentence imposed) |
| 186 | Unlawfully cause harm | 186AA | Choking, strangling or suffocating in a domestic relationship | 188(1) | Common assault (where a circumstance of aggravation specified in S188(2)(a) to (k) (inclusive) exists |
| 188(2)(a) | Suffers harm | 188(2)(b) | Is a female and the offender is a male | 188(2)(c) | Is under the age of 16 years and the offender is an adult |
| 188(2)(d) | Is unable because of infirmity, age, physique, situation or other disability effectually to defend himself or to retaliate | 188(2)(e) | Is a member of the Legislative Assembly, the House of Representatives or the Senate and the assault is committed because of such membership | 188(2)(f) | Is assisting a public sector employee in carrying out the public sector employee's duties |
| 188(2)(fa) | Is assisting a justice of the peace in carrying out the justice's functions | 188(2)(g) | Is engaged in the lawful service of any court document or in the lawful execution of any process against any property or in making a lawful distress | 188(2)(h) | Has done an act in the execution of any duty imposed on him by law and the assault is committed because of such act |
| 188(2)(j) | Is assaulted in pursuance of any unlawful conspiracy | 188(2)(k) | Is indecently assaulted | 188(2)(m) | Is threatened with a firearm or other dangerous or offensive weapon (unless a custodial sentence is imposed) |





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| 188A(1) | Assault on workers (if the victim does not suffer harm) | 189A(1) | Assaults on police or emergency workers (unless the circumstances of aggravation specified in S189A(2)(b) exists | 189(2) | Unlawful stalking (where the circumstance of aggravation specified in S189(2)(a) exists, unless a custodial sentence is imposed |
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| 189(2)(a) | Unlawful stalking – a person who stalks another person is guilty of an offence and is liable to imprisonment for 2 years (unless a custodial sentence is imposed) | 191 | Assaults on member of crew of aircraft (unless a custodial sentence is imposed) | 193 | Assault with intent to commit an offence |
| 193B(1) | Assault with intent to steal unless the circumstance of aggravation specified in section 193B(2) or (3) exists | 200 | Threats where a custodial sentence is imposed | 208JG | Engaging in conduct to procure sexual activity – child under 16 years |
| 208LB | Sexual intercourse – person with cognitive impairment | 208LC | Causing sexual intercourse or penetration – person with cognitive impairment | 208LD | Gross indecency – person with cognitive impairment |





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