

55.3 *Power to order*

Delete *R v Riley* 1984 It is no longer good law.

55.7a *Thieves*

R v Penson 2014 EWCA Crim 602 D pleaded to theft. D drove to various B&Q stores in different parts of the country, stealing mechanical and electrical items worth nearly £3,000. D, aged 60, had in excess of 50 convictions for shoplifting. He was disqualified from driving for 5 years. The Judge said D was a determined and professional thief. Held. The Judge was fully justified to disqualify D. While the primary purpose of disqualification may be prevention it also has a punitive purpose and should be seen as part of the total sentence. **3 years** disqualification not 5.