

**FOI Release**  
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**Title:** Prosecutions under s107(2A) Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988

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**Information request:**

Please can you let me know:

- How many s107(2A) CDPA prosecutions were commenced *prior* to the Royal Assent of the Digital Economy Act 2017 (1 October 2017)
- How many s107(2A) CDPA prosecutions were commenced *after* the Royal Assent of the Digital Economy Act 2017 (1 October 2017)
- How many people were found guilty under s107(2A) CDPA *prior* to the Royal Assent of the Digital Economy Act 2017 (1 October 2017)
- How many people were found guilty under s107(2A) CDPA *after* to the Royal Assent of the Digital Economy Act 2017 (1 October 2017)

**Information released:**

The only relevant information on prosecutions held by the IPO is that which we publish in our annual IP Crime Reports. They include statistics that are provided by the Ministry of Justice covering CDPA/TMA numbers of those found guilty. This year's Crime Report has data from 2015-2019 on page 14, and next September we'll publish the 2020 data - <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/ip-enforcement-reports> .