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Air Force Act, 1950

Section 157 - POWER OF CONFIRMING AUTHORITY TO MITIGATE, REMIT OR COMMUTE SENTENCES

1) Subject to such restrictions, reservations or conditions as may be contained in any warrant issued under section 153-orsection 154-and to the provisions of sub- sections (2) and (3), a confirming authority may, when confirming the sentence of a court-martial, mitigate or remit the punishment thereby awarded, or commute that punishment for any punishment or punishments lower in the scale laid down in section 73-. (2) A sentence of transportation shall not, be commuted for a sentence of imprisonment or detention for a term exceeding the term of transportation awarded by the court. (3) A sentence of imprisonment shall not be commuted for a sentence of detention for a term exceeding the term of imprisonment awarded by the court.