SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ENFORCEMENT DILIGENCE

The Debtors (Scotland) Act 1987 (Amendment) Regulations 2000

Made - - - -	*14th June 2000*
Laid before the Scottish Parliament - - - -	*15th June 2000*
Coming into force - -	*10th July 2000*

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 1(5)(a), 5(4)(a), 16(1)(b) and (d) and (3) of, and paragraph 1(1)(b) and (d) and (3) of Schedule 5 to, the Debtors (Scotland) Act 1987(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Debtors (Scotland) Act 1987 (Amendment) Regulations 2000 and shall come into force on 10th July 2000.

(2) In these Regulations, "the Act" means the Debtors (Scotland) Act 1987.

Time to pay directions and orders

2. For the purposes of sections 1(5)(a) (competence of time to pay direction) and 5(4)(a) (competence of time to pay order) of the Act, the amount prescribed is "£25,000".

Articles exempt from poinding

3.—(1) For the purposes of paragraphs (b) and (d) of section 16(1) (articles exempt from poinding) of, and paragraphs (b) and (d) of paragraph 1(1) of Schedule 5 (articles exempt from poinding in pursuance of summary warrant) to, the Act, the amount prescribed is "£1,000".

(**1**) 1987 c. 18. The functions of the Lord Advocate were transferred to the Secretary of State by virtue of the Transfer of Functions (Lord Advocate and Secretary of State) Order 1999 (S.I.1999/678), and to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46).