Draft Order in Council laid before Parliament under section 1(4) of the Hovercraft Act 1968, for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.

DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1998 No.

HOVERCRAFT

The Hovercraft (Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims (Amendment)) Order 1998

Made - - - - 1998

Coming into force in accordance with Article 1

At the Court of Buckingham Palace, the day of 1998

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas a draft of this Order has, in pursuance of section 1(4) of the Hovercraft Act 1968(**1**), been laid before Parliament and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred on her by section 1(1)(i) and 1(3)(f) of the Hovercraft Act 1968 is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Hovercraft (Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims (Amendment)) Order 1998 and shall come into force on the date, to be notified in the London, Edinburgh and Belfast Gazettes, on which the Protocol of 1996 to amend the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976(**2**) enters into force in respect of the United Kingdom.

2. The Hovercraft (Civil Liability) Order 1986(**3**) shall be amended so that in paragraph (8) of Part B of Schedule 3, and in Part (3)B of Schedule 4, in respect of Article 6 there shall be substituted:

"Article 6

(**1**) 1968 c. 59, section 1(1)(i) was amended by the Merchant Shipping Act 1995 (c. 21), Schedule 13 paragraph 42.
(**2**) Cm 3581.
(**3**) S.I. 1986/1305 as amended by S.I. 1987/1835.