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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1996 No. 107**

**The Vehicle Excise Duty (Immobilisation, Removal  
and Disposal of Vehicles) Regulations 1996**

**PART III**

**REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL OF VEHICLES**

**Removal of immobilised vehicles**

**10.**—(1) This regulation applies in a case where—

- (a) an immobilisation device is fixed to a vehicle in accordance with these Regulations, and
- (b) 24 hours have elapsed since the device was fixed to the vehicle, and
- (c) the vehicle has not been released in accordance with these Regulations.

(2) In a case where this regulation applies, an authorised person or a person acting under the direction of an authorised person, may remove the vehicle and deliver it to a person authorised by the Secretary of State to keep vehicles so removed in his custody (in these Regulations called a “custodian”).