## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 1996 No. 3037

## The Set-Aside Access (Scotland) Amendment and Revocation Regulations 1996

## Amendment of the principal Regulations

- 5. In regulation 11 (withholding and recovery of aid) of the principal Regulations—
  - (a) in paragraph (1) the words "in a material respect" shall be omitted;
  - (b) in paragraph (2)(b) and (c) the words "without reasonable excuse" shall be omitted;
  - (c) there shall be added at the end-
    - "(7) The Secretary of State may, by way of penalty imposed by virtue of Article 20(2) of the Commission Regulation, withhold from or, as the case may be, require a beneficiary to whom paragraph (1) or (2) applies to pay an amount not exceeding 10% of the aid payable, including any amount already paid, to that beneficiary under the scheme in addition to withholding or as the case may be recovering aid under these paragraphs."