

SCHEDULE 9

PART 75

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

Scope and interpretation

75.1.—(1) The practice direction—

- (a) sets out the proceedings to which this Part applies; and
- (b) may apply this Part with modifications in relation to any particular category of those proceedings.

(2) In this Part—

- (a) “the Centre” means the Traffic Enforcement Centre established under the direction of the Lord Chancellor;
- (b) “no relevant return to the warrant” means that—
 - (i) the bailiff has been unable to seize goods because he has been denied access to premises occupied by the defendant or because the goods have been removed from those premises;
 - (ii) any goods seized under a warrant of execution are insufficient to satisfy the debt and the cost of execution; or
 - (iii) the goods are insufficient to cover the cost of their removal and sale.
- (c) “the 1993 Order” means the Enforcement of Road Traffic Debts Order 1993⁽¹⁾;
- (d) “relevant period”, in relation to any particular case, means—
 - (i) the period allowed for serving a statutory declaration under any enactment which applies to that case; or
 - (ii) where an enactment permits the court to extend that period, the period as extended;
- (e) “specified debts” means the debts specified in article 2 of the 1993 Order or treated as so specified by any other enactment; and
- (f) “the authority”, “notice of the amount due”, “order” and “the respondent” have the meaning given by the practice direction.

⁽¹⁾ S.I. 1993/2073 as amended by S.I. 2001/1386.