CORONAVIRUS (SCOTLAND) (NO.2) ACT 2020

EXPLANATORY NOTES

DETAIL ABOUT PROVISIONS

Schedule 2: Operation of the justice system

Proceeds of crime: extension of permitted period for purpose of confiscation order

- 101. Paragraph 8 inserts a new subsection (4A) in section 99 (confiscation orders: postponement) of the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 ("the 2002 Act").
- 102. Subsection (4A) specifies that, for the purposes of section 99(4) of the 2002 Act, "exceptional circumstances" includes the effect (whether direct or indirect) of coronavirus on the proceedings.