SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 3

ESCORT OFFICERS

- 2.—(1) Paragraph 22 (power to take arrested person to a police station) is amended as follows.
- (2) In sub-paragraph (1)(c)—
 - (a) in paragraph (ii) after "duty" insert " to keep that person under control and ";
 - (b) in paragraph (iii) at the end add "and under his control".
- (3) After sub-paragraph (1)(c) add—
 - "(d) a person who has taken another person to a police station in exercise of the power conferred by virtue of paragraph (a)—
 - (i) shall be under a duty to remain at the police station until he has transferred control of the other person to the custody officer at the police station;
 - (ii) until he has so transferred control of the other person, shall be treated for all purposes as having that person in his lawful custody;
 - (iii) for so long as he is at the police station or in its immediate vicinity in compliance with, or having complied with, his duty under sub-paragraph (i), shall be under a duty to prevent the escape of the other person and to assist in keeping him under control; and
 - (iv) shall be entitled to use reasonable force for the purpose of complying with his duty under sub-paragraph (iii).".

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Policing (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007, Paragraph 2.