DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2006 No.

The Collection of Fines (Final Scheme) Order 2006

Amendments to the Attachment of Earnings Act 1971

- **40.** In section 9 (variation, lapse and discharge of orders)—
 - (a) in subsection (1), after "The court" insert ", or where an attachment of earnings order is made under Schedule 5 to the Courts Act 2003, the court or the fines officer as the case may be,";
 - (b) in subsection (3)—
 - (i) in paragraph (a) after "order" insert "made under this Act", and
 - (ii) after paragraph (a) insert—
 - "(aa) as to the circumstances in which an attachment of earnings order made under Schedule 5 to the Courts Act 2003 may be varied or discharged by the court or the fines officer of its or his own motion;"; and
 - (c) in subsection (4)—
 - (i) after "until the court" insert ", or where the order was made under Schedule 5 to the Courts Act 2003, unless and until the court or the fines officer as the case may be,"; and
 - (ii) after "to the court" insert "or the fines officer (as the case may be)".