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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 6

#### DISCHARGE OF FINES BY UNPAID WORK

##### **Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** Sch. 6 applied (1.10.2009) by [Criminal Justice and Immigration Act 2008 \(c. 4\), ss. 85\(7\)\(b\), 153; S.I. 2009/2606, art. 2\(f\)](#)
- C1** Sch. 6 restricted (prosp.) by [Education and Skills Act 2008 \(c. 25\), ss. 56-58, 173\(4\)](#)

##### *Revocation or variation of order*

- 8 (1) If, on the application of the fines officer, it appears to the relevant court that P is failing or has failed to comply with a work order without reasonable excuse, the court must revoke the order.
- (2) If, on the application of the fines officer, it appears to the relevant court—
- (a) that P has failed to comply with a work order but has a reasonable excuse for the failure, or
- (b) that, because of a change in circumstances since the order was made, P is unlikely to be able to comply with a work order,
- the court may revoke the order or postpone the specified date.
- (3) The relevant court may of its own motion revoke a work order if it appears to the court that, because of a change in circumstances since the order was made, P is unlikely to be able to comply with the order.
- (4) A work order may be revoked under any of sub-paragraphs (1) to (3), or varied under sub-paragraph (2), before the specified date (as well as on or after that date).
- (5) Regulations may provide for the fines officer to have the power to issue a summons for the purpose of ensuring that P attends the court to which an application has been made under sub-paragraph (1) or (2).

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