

## Armed Forces Act 2021

## **2021 CHAPTER 35**

Service courts, summary hearings and jurisdiction

## 6 The Service Civilian Court: power to rectify mistakes

In section 288 of AFA 2006 (SCC rules)—

- (a) in subsection (3), after paragraph (e) insert—
  - "(ea) for the variation or rescission by the court of a sentence passed by it, or an order under section 193 made by it, in a case where it appears to the court that it had no power to award such a sentence or (as the case may be) to make such an order;";
- (b) after subsection (6) insert—
  - "(6A) Rules made by virtue of subsection (3)(ea) may make provision about the commencement of sentences or orders varied by the court (including provision conferring on the court a power to direct that a sentence is to take effect otherwise than as mentioned in section 289(1))."