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**LEGAL SERVICES COMMISSION, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Criminal Defence Service (Recovery of Defence Costs Orders) (Amendment) Regulations 2002**

<i>Made</i> - - - -	<i>13th March 2002</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>18th March 2002</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	<i>8th April 2002</i>

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 17(3) of the Access to Justice Act 1999<sup>(a)</sup>, makes the following Regulations:

**Citation, commencement and transitional provisions**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Criminal Defence Service (Recovery of Defence Costs Orders) (Amendment) Regulations 2002 and shall come into force on 8th April 2002.
2. These Regulations shall apply to Recovery of Defence Costs Orders in respect of representation orders made on or after 8th April 2002, and such Orders in respect of representation orders made before that date shall be treated as if these Regulations had not been made.

**Amendment to the Criminal Defence Service (Recovery of Defence Costs Orders) Regulations 2001<sup>(b)</sup>**

3. In regulation 9(2)(c) of the Criminal Defence Service (Recovery of Defence Costs Orders) Regulations 2001, “£24,500” shall be substituted for “£24,000”.

Signed by authority of the Lord Chancellor

Dated 13th March 2002

*Patricia Scotland*  
Parliamentary Secretary,  
Lord Chancellor’s Department

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<sup>(a)</sup> 1999 c.22.  
<sup>(b)</sup> S.I. 2001/856.

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations amend the Criminal Defence Service (Recovery of Defence Costs Orders) Regulations 2001 in order to increase the level of income a funded defendant must have before his income is taken into account for the purpose of calculating his financial resources.

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