## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2007 No. 3612

The General Commissioners and Special Commissioners (Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Amendment) Regulations 2007

## Amendment to the General Commissioners (Jurisdiction and Procedure) Regulations 1994

**6.** After regulation 24 (irregularities) insert—

## "24A. Penalty for failure to comply with direction

- (1) The Tribunal may impose a penalty against a party not exceeding £10,000 where the party fails to comply with any direction of a General Commissioner or Tribunal.
  - (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to notices served under regulation 10.
- (3) Where the Tribunal propose to impose a penalty against a party, it must allow that party an opportunity to make representations in writing before it imposes any penalty.
- (4) Any penalty determined by the Tribunal under these Rules shall for all purposes be treated as if it were tax charged in an assessment and due and payable.".