ROYAL COURT

14th September, 1990 132_

Before: The Bailiff, and Jurats Orchard and Herbert

Attorney General

- v ---

Computer Workshop Limited

One infraction of paragraph (1) of Article 6 of the Social Security (Collection of Contributions) (Jersey) Order, 1975; and One infraction of paragraph (1) of Article 36 of the Social Security (Jersey) Law, 1974.

Facts admitted.

Administrative skills of beneficial owner of company lacking - contributions now paid (6th September, 1990).

Conclusions:

Charge 1: £100.00 fine; Charge 2: £500.00 fine;

Costs: £300.00 (increased by £100.00 to reflect delays in hearing of prosecution caused by defendant company's failure to instruct counsel in time for previous hearings).

Poor record of compliance although no previous convictions.

Conclusions granted.

The Solicitor General.

Advocate N.F. Journeaux for the defendant company.

JUDGMENT

BAILIFF: Your counsel has very rightly and properly admitted that the conclusions asked for are appropriate having regard to the extra work to which the Crown has been put. There is no reason why the increase in costs should not be awarded to the Crown and therefore your company is fined £100.00 on the first charge and £500.00 on the second charge; and £300.00 costs.

Authority referred to:

A.G. -v- Holmes (24th August, 1990) Jersey Unreported.