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ROYAL COURT

(Samedi Division) 198.

12th November, 1992

Before: F.C. Hamon, Esq., Commissioner,
and Jurats Hamon and Vibert

The Attorney General

- v -

Le Garsmeur's Garden and Building Centre, Limited.

One infraction of Article 36(1) of the Social Security (Jersey) Law, 1974.

PLEA: Facts admitted.

DETAILS OF OFFENCE:

Did not pay contributions for the period in which they were due. 28 employees involved = £6,400. Schedule in on time, but accompanying cheque was dishonoured on five occasions. Summons issued as a last resort.

DETAILS OF MITIGATION:

Plea of guilty. Good previous record of compliance.

PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS: None.

CONCLUSIONS: £300 plus £50 costs.

SENTENCE AND OBSERVATIONS OF THE COURT:

Conclusions granted. To retain and have the use of employees' contributions is, in the strictest terms, a breach of trust. Conclusions appropriately conservative in the light of available mitigation.

C.E. Whelan, Esq., Crown Advocate.

Advocate Miss D.C. Sowden for the Defendant.

NO RECORDED JUDGMENT

No Authorities.