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**■ IN COURT AGAIN:** Rachel Ricardo and Jamie Rowland were both jailed for running brothels

## Man who ran brothel to pay back £87

A MAN who earned £88,636.33 through running a string of brothels has been forced to pay back just £87.

Jamie Rowland and Rachel Ricardo were jailed last year after admitting conspiring to manage eight brothels, including one in Iffley Road and one in Upway Road.

The pair appeared at Oxford Crown Court on Thursday for a confiscation hearing.

The court heard 32-year-old Rowland, of Littlemore, benefited from running the brothels to the tune of £88,636.33, but was told to pay back just £87.10.

Ricardo, 39, of Ladder Hill, Wheatley, had earned £51,008.33

and was told £2,395.46 already seized would be confiscated.

Rowland was jailed in 2009 for two years for running the brothels and for possessing a stungun and a lock knife.

Ricardo was jailed for a year for running the brothels, which were also in Reading, Newbury, Milton Keynes and Surrey.