SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2002 No. 137

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICIARY

Act of Adjournal (Criminal Procedure Rules Amendment) (Convention Rights (Compliance) (Scotland) Act 2001) 2002

Made - - - -	*1st March 2002*
Coming into force - -	*4th March 2002*

The Lord Justice General, the Lord Justice Clerk and the Lords Commissioners of Justiciary in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 305 of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, do hereby enact and declare:

Citation and commencement

1. This Act of Adjournal—

(a) may be cited as the Act of Adjournal (Criminal Procedure Rules Amendment) (Convention Rights (Compliance) (Scotland) Act 2001) 2002;

(b) shall come into force on 4 March 2002; and

(c) shall be inserted in the Books of Adjournal.

Amendment of the Criminal Procedure Rules

2. –

(1) The Criminal Procedure Rules 1996(**2**) are amended in accordance with the following paragraphs.

(2) In rule 42.1 (application and interpretation), in paragraph (2)–

(a) in the definition of "punishment part hearing", after "Part 1" insert "or paragraph 59 of Part 4"; and

(b) for the words "existing life prisoners" substitute the words "life prisoner".

(3) In rules 42.3 (disputed or additional documents) and 42.4 (procedural hearing) for the words "an existing life prisoner" at each place where they occur substitute the words "a life prisoner".

(4) In rule 42.3, in paragraph (1)(a)–

(a) for "paragraph 10" substitute "paragraph 9"; and

(**1**) 1995 c. 46.
(**2**) S.I.1996/513, as amended.