Draft Order laid before Parliament under section 10 of the International Organisations Act 1968, for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.

DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2005 No.

INTERNATIONAL IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES

The European Court of Human Rights (Immunities and Privileges) (Amendment) Order 2005

Made - - - -

Coming into force - - 2nd January 2006

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the xx day of xx 2005

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas a draft of this Order has been laid before Parliament in accordance with section 10 of the International Organisations Act 1968 (**1**) ("the Act") and has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her by section 7 of the International Organisations Act 2005 (**2**) and section 5 of the Act or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows—

1. This Order may be cited as the European Court of Human Rights (Immunities and Privileges) (Amendment) Order 2005 and shall come into force on 2nd January 2006.

2. After article 4 of The European Court of Human Rights (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2000 (**3**) there shall be inserted—

"**4A.**—(1) Except in so far as in any particular case any privilege or immunity is waived by the Court sitting in plenary session, spouses and minor children of judges of the Court shall enjoy—

(**1**) 1968 c.48.
(**2**) 2005 c.20.
(**3**) S.I. 2000/1817.