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LEGAL AID, ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE

The Legal Aid in Criminal Proceedings (Costs) (Amendment) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1995

Made . . . . . *5th June 1995*

Coming into operation . . *29th June 1995*

To be laid before Parliament

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 36(3) of the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(**a**), and now vested in him(**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, after consultation with the Lord Chief Justice and the Attorney General, and with the approval of the Treasury, and having had regard to the principle of allowing fair remuneration according to the work reasonably undertaken and properly done, hereby makes the following Rules:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Rules may be cited as the Legal Aid in Criminal Proceedings (Costs) (Amendment) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1995 and shall come into operation on 29th June 1995.

(2) In these Rules, "the principal Rules" means the Legal Aid in Criminal Proceedings (Costs) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1992(**c**).

Transitional provisions

2. Rules 4 and 5 shall apply for the purposes of work done on or after 30th June 1995 to which the principal Rules apply.

Alteration of date

3. In rules 6(3) and 9(5)(*a*) of the principal Rules for the date "30th June 1995" there shall be substituted "30th June 1996".

Amendment to the principal Rules

4. Schedule 1 to the principal Rules shall be amended as follows—

(*a*) for paragraph 1 of Part I, there shall be substituted the paragraph set out in Schedule 1;

(*b*) for the table set out in paragraph 4(3) of Part II, there shall be substituted the table set out in Schedule 2.

(**a**) S.I. 1981/228 (N.I. 8)
(**b**) S.I. 1982/159
(**c**) S.R. 1992 No. 314; as amended by S.R. 1994 No. 209

5. For the table set out in paragraph 8 of Part I of Schedule 2 to the principal Rules, there shall be substituted the table set out in Schedule 3.

Dated 5th June 1995 — *Mackay of Clashfern*, C.

We approve — *Timothy Kirkhope*
Timothy Wood

Dated 6th June 1995 — Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury