1976 No. 2

MAGISTRATES' COURTS

Magistrates' Courts (Emergency Provisions) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1976

Made . . . . . *2nd January* 1976

Coming into operation . . . *2nd February* 1976

To be laid before Parliament

The Secretary of State(a) in pursuance of section 23 of the Magistrates' Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(b) hereby, on the recommendation of the Magistrates' Courts Rules Committee and after consultation with the Lord Chief Justice, makes the following rules:

Citation and commencement

1. These rules may be cited as the Magistrates' Courts (Emergency Provisions) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on the 2nd February 1976.

Modification of 1974 *Rules in relation to proceedings within section* 2 *of* 1975 *Act*

2. Where section 2 of the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) (Amendment) Act 1975(c) has effect in relation to any proceedings the provisions of the Magistrates' Courts Rules (Northern Ireland) 1974(d) specified in the first column of the Schedule shall, in relation to those proceedings, have effect subject to the modifications specified in the second column of the Schedule.

Merlyn Rees
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State

Northern Ireland Office
2nd January 1976

(a) Formerly the Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland: *see* S.I. 1973/2163
(b) 1964 c. 21 (N.I.)
(c) 1975 c. 62
(d) S.R. 1974 No. 334