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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2005 No. 2795**

The Family Procedure (Adoption) Rules 2005

PART 7

LITIGATION FRIEND, CHILDREN'S GUARDIAN, REPORTING  
OFFICER AND CHILDREN AND FAMILY REPORTER

*SECTION 3*

*REPORTING OFFICER*

**When the court appoints a reporting officer**

- 69.** In proceedings to which Part 5 applies, the court will appoint a reporting officer where—
- (a) it appears that a parent or guardian of the child is willing to consent to the placing of the child for adoption, to the making of an adoption order or to a section 84 order; and
  - (b) that parent or guardian is in England or Wales.