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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 1980 No. 397

## County Courts (Northern Ireland) Order 1980

### PART V

#### SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS RESPECTING JURISDICTION OF COUNTY COURTS

##### (ii)

#### PROVISIONS SUPPLEMENTAL TO CIVIL JURISDICTION

##### *Institution of Civil Proceedings*

#### **Division of causes of action**

**36.** It shall not be lawful for any plaintiff to divide any cause of action for the purpose of bringing two or more actions in any one or more than one county court.

#### **No action on judgment of other courts**

**37.** It shall not be lawful for any person to sue in a county court upon a judgment or order of any other court in Northern Ireland but nothing in this Article shall apply to proceedings under [<sup>F1</sup> Article 107 of the Judgments Enforcement (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 ].

**F1** [1981 NI 6](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

County Courts (Northern Ireland) Order 1980, Cross Heading: Institution of Civil Proceedings is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 16 June 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- Instrument am (prosp) by [S.I. 1994/2795 \(N.I.\) art.3\(5\)Sch.1](#)