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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**1996 No. 322**

**The Family Proceedings Rules (Northern Ireland) 1996**

Part II

Matrimonial causes

Ancillary relief

**Arrangements for hearing of application etc by judge**

**2.69.**—(1) Where an application for ancillary relief or any question arising thereon has been referred or adjourned to the judge, the proper officer or chief clerk, as the case may be, shall fix a date and time for the hearing of the application or the consideration of the question and give notice thereof to all parties.

(2) The hearing or consideration shall, unless the judge otherwise directs, take place in chambers.

(3) Where the application is proceeding in a divorce county court, the hearing or consideration may be transferred to such county court as, in the opinion of the Master, is the most convenient.