
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

1999 No. 226

**The Child Support Commissioners (Procedure)
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1999**

PART I

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Transitional provisions

- 3.**—(1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), these Regulations shall apply to—
- (a) all proceedings before the Commissioners;
 - (b) applications to a chairman for leave to appeal on or after 7th June 1999.
- (2) In relation to any appeal or application for leave to appeal from any child support appeal tribunal constituted under the Order, these Regulations shall have effect with the modifications that—
- (a) “appeal tribunal” includes a reference to any such tribunal;
 - (b) “Department” includes a reference to a child support officer;
 - (c) “three months” shall be substituted for “one month” in regulation 10(1) and “42 days” shall be substituted for “one month” in regulations 11(2) and 15(1); and
 - (d) under regulation 11 a Commissioner may for special reasons accept an application for leave to appeal even though the applicant has not sought to obtain leave to appeal from the Chairman.
- (3) Any transitional question arising under any application or appeal in consequence of the coming into operation of these Regulations shall be determined by a Commissioner who may for this purpose give such directions as he may think just, including modifying the normal requirements of these Regulations in relation to the application or appeal.