



Justices of the Peace Act 1979 (repealed 19.6.1997)

1979 CHAPTER 55

PART III

INNER LONDON AREA

Metropolitan stipendiary magistrates

34 Acting metropolitan stipendiary magistrate.

- (1) If it appears to the Lord Chancellor that it is expedient to do so in order to avoid delays in the administration of justice in the inner London area, he may authorise any person, who [^{F1}has a 7 year general qualification, within the meaning of section 71 of the Courts and Legal Services Act 1990], to act as a metropolitan stipendiary magistrate during such period (not exceeding three months at any one time) as the Lord Chancellor thinks fit.
- (2) All things required or authorised by law to be done by, to or before a metropolitan stipendiary magistrate may be done by, to or before any person acting as such in pursuance of this section.
- [^{F2}(2A) Sections 44, 45 and 53 of this Act shall apply to a person acting as a metropolitan stipendiary magistrate under subsection (1) as they apply to a metropolitan stipendiary magistrate.]
- (3) The Lord Chancellor may, out of moneys provided by Parliament, pay to any person authorised to act under this section such remuneration as he may, with the approval of the Minister for the Civil Service, determine.

Textual Amendments

F1 Words substituted by [Courts and Legal Services Act 1990 \(c.41, SIF 37\)](#), s. 71(2), [Sch. 10 para. 44\(2\)](#)

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F2 S. 34(2A) inserted by Courts and Legal Services Act 1990 (c.41, SIF 76:1), ss. 108(4), 125(6), **Sch. 19 para. 16**

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