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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 2

JUDGE ADVOCATES SITTING IN CIVILIAN COURTS

PART 1

AMENDMENTS CONFERRING JURISDICTION ON JUDGE ADVOCATES

Senior Courts Act 1981 (c. 54)

- 1 (1) Section 8 of the Senior Courts Act 1981 (persons who may exercise the jurisdiction of the Crown Court) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1)(b), for “, Recorder or District Judge (Magistrates' Courts)” substitute “, Recorder, qualifying judge advocate or District Judge (Magistrates' Courts)”.
- (3) In subsection (1)(c), for “or Recorder” substitute “, Recorder or qualifying judge advocate”.
- (4) After subsection (1) insert—
- “(1A) The jurisdiction of the Crown Court exercisable by a qualifying judge advocate by virtue of subsection (1) is the jurisdiction of the Court in relation to any criminal cause or matter other than an appeal from a youth court.”
- (5) In subsection (3), for “, Circuit judge, Recorder or District Judge (Magistrates' Courts)” substitute “, Circuit judge, Recorder, qualifying judge advocate or District Judge (Magistrates' Courts)”.
- (6) After subsection (3) insert—
- “(4) Subsection (1A) does not affect the jurisdiction of the Crown Court exercisable by a person who holds an office mentioned in subsection (1)(a) or (b) where that person is also a qualifying judge advocate.”

Commencement Information

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