

Guardianship (Missing Persons) Act 2017

2017 CHAPTER 27

General

23 The court

- (1) The Lord Chancellor must by regulations made by statutory instrument designate the High Court or the Court of Protection to have the functions of the court under this Act.
- (2) The Lord Chancellor must consult the Lord Chief Justice before making regulations under this section.
- (3) The Lord Chief Justice may nominate a judicial office holder (as defined in section 109(4) of the Constitutional Reform Act 2005) to exercise the Lord Chief Justice's functions under this section.
- (4) Regulations under this section may include transitional, transitory or saving provision.
- (5) A statutory instrument containing regulations under this section is subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.