

1968 No. 2010 (L.24)

COUNTY COURTS

PROCEDURE

The County Court (Amendment) Rules 1968

Made - - - 17th December 1968

Coming into Operation 15th January 1969

1.—(1) These Rules may be cited as the County Court (Amendment) Rules 1968.

(2) In these Rules an Order and Rule referred to by number means the Order and Rule so numbered in the County Court Rules 1936(a), as amended (b).

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of these Rules as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The following Rule shall be substituted for Order 2, Rule 11 :—

*“Race Relations Act 1968*

1968 c. 71. 11.—(1) Proceedings under section 19 of the Race Relations Act 1968 may be commenced—

(a) in the court for the district in which the defendant or one of the defendants resides or carries on business ; or

(b) in the court for the district in which the act or any of the acts in respect of which the proceedings are brought took place.

(2) In this Rule “court” means a court appointed to have jurisdiction to entertain proceedings under the said section 19 and “district” means the district assigned to such a court for the purposes of that section.”

3. The following Rule shall be substituted for Order 31, Rule 12 :—

Proceedings excluded 1913 c.31. 1968 c.71. “12. This Order shall not apply to an appeal under section 28 of the Pilotage Act 1913 or to proceedings under section 19 of the Race Relations Act 1968.”

(a) S.R. & O. 1936/626 (1936 I, p. 282).

(b) There are no amendments which relate to the subject matter of these Rules

(c) 1889 c. 63.

We, the undersigned members of the Rule Committee appointed by the Lord Chancellor under section 102 of the County Courts Act 1959(a), having by virtue of the powers vested in us in this behalf made the foregoing Rules, do hereby certify the same under our hands and submit them to the Lord Chancellor accordingly.

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I allow these Rules, which shall come into force on 15th January 1969.  
Dated 17th December 1968.

*Gardiner, C.*

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Rules.)*

These Rules amend the County Court Rules so as to make provision for proceedings under the Race Relations Act 1968.

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(a) 1959 c. 22.