STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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THE COURT OF PROTECTION RULES 1994

PART XI

AMENDMENT

Amendment of application

- **53.**—(1) The court or the Public Trustee may allow or direct an applicant, at any stage of the proceedings, to amend his application in such manner and on such terms as to costs or otherwise as may be just.
- (2) The amendment may be effected by making in writing the necessary alterations to the application, but if the amendments are so numerous or of such a nature or length that written alterations would make it difficult or inconvenient to read, a fresh application amended as authorised or directed may be issued.

Clerical mistakes and slips

54. The court or the Public Trustee as appropriate may at any time correct any clerical mistakes in an order or direction or any error arising in an order or direction from any accidental slip or omission.

Endorsement of amendment

55. Where an application, order or direction has been amended under rule 53 or 54, a note shall be placed on it showing the date on which it was amended and the alterations shall be sealed.