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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1997 No. 172**

**The Standing Civilian Courts Order 1997**

**PART IV**

**PROCEDURE AT THE HEARING**

**Closing addresses**

**68.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) below, the prosecutor and the accused may each make a closing address to the court.

(2) Except with the leave of the court, neither the prosecutor nor the accused may make a closing address to the court if he has already made an opening address, but where one party is granted leave every other party may also make a closing address.

(3) Where two or more accused are represented by the same legal adviser, he may make only one closing address.