
Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

SCHEDULE

FURTHER MODIFICATIONS OF THE 1995 ACT

- 2 In section 2 (fixing of High Court sittings)—
- (a) in subsection (3)—
 - (i) for the words “attend a” substitute “, or otherwise required to attend, a diet to be held at any”,
 - (ii) for “his trial” substitute “the diet or, in the case of a trial diet, the trial”,
 - (iii) for “another sitting of the High Court” substitute “a diet to be held at a sitting of the Court in another place”,
 - (b) after subsection (3) insert—

“(3C) The judge may proceed under subsection (3) above on a joint application of the parties without hearing the parties and, accordingly, he may dispense with any hearing previously appointed for the purpose of considering the application.”,
 - (c) in subsection (4), for “cases have been indicted for” substitute “diets have been appointed to be held at”,
 - (d) in subsection (5), for “any case remains indicted for” substitute “in any case a diet remains appointed to be held at”,
 - (e) after that subsection insert—

“(6) For the purposes of subsection (3) above—

 - (a) a diet shall be taken to commence when it is called; and
 - (b) a trial shall be taken to commence when the oath is administered to the jury.”.