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**2004 No.**

**SUPREME COURT OF ENGLAND AND WALES  
COUNTY COURTS, ENGLAND AND WALES  
MAGISTRATES' COURTS,  
ENGLAND AND WALES**

The Courts Act 2003 (Consequential Amendments) Order 2004

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**THE COURTS ACT 2003 (CONSEQUENTIAL  
AMENDMENTS) ORDER 2004**

1. Citation
  2. Commencement
  3. Consequential amendments and repeals
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SCHEDULE —

1. Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1933
2. Maintenance Orders (Reciprocal Enforcement) Act 1972
3. Greater London Council (General Powers) Act 1972
4. Adoption Act 1976
5. In section 61 (evidence of agreement and consent), for “rules”...
6. In section 62(2)(c) (authorised county courts), for the words from...
7. (1) Amend section 65 (duties of officers of the Service)...
8. (1) Amend section 66 (rules of procedure) as follows.
9. In section 72(1) (interpretation)— (a) in the definition of “prescribed”,...
10. Magistrates' Courts Act 1980
11. Supreme Court Act 1981
12. In each of the following provisions, for “Crown Court Rules”...
13. In section 77(1) (committal for trial: date of trial), for...
14. In section 81(2) (bail), for “Crown Court Rules” substitute “rules...”
15. (1) Amend section 84 (power to make rules of court)...

16. (1) In section 86(1) (Crown Court Rule Committee), omit—
17. (1) Amend section 87 (particular matters for which rules of...
18. In section 151(4) (interpretation), omit the definitions of “Criminal Appeal...
19. Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982
20. Matrimonial and Family Proceedings Act 1984
21. Criminal Justice Act 1987
22. In section 6(6) (applications for dismissal), for “Crown Court Rules”...
23. (1) Amend section 9 (the preparatory hearing) as follows.
24. Criminal Justice Act 1988
25. In section 31 (form of evidence and glossaries), for “Crown...
26. (1) Amend section 32 (evidence through television links) as follows....
27. (1) Amend section 159 (crown court proceedings—orders restricting or preventing...
28. In paragraph 4 of Schedule 2 (documentary evidence)—
29. Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988
30. In section 12(1)(a) and (3)(a) (proof, in summary proceedings, of...
31. In section 13(4)(c) (admissibility of records as evidence), for “rules...
32. Criminal Justice Act 1991
33. Omit section 55(5) (amendment of section 32 of the Criminal...
34. In paragraph 5(8) of Schedule 6 (notices of transfer: procedure...
35. Crime and Disorder Act 1998
36. (1) Amend section 49 (powers of magistrates' courts exercisable by...
37. (1) Amend Schedule 3 (procedure where persons are sent for...
38. Access to Justice Act 1999
39. Powers of Criminal Courts (Sentencing) Act 2000
40. (1) Amend section 31 (rules of court) as follows.
41. In section 63(6) (supervision orders), for “rules under section 144...
42. In section 132(2) (compensation orders: appeals etc.), for “Rules under...
43. In section 155(7) (alteration of Crown Court sentence), for “Crown...
44. In section 163 (general definitions), in the definition of “the...
45. Criminal Justice Act 2003
46. (1) Amend section 30 (further provision about new method of...
47. (1) Amend section 55 (Rules of court) as follows.
48. In section 56(1) (interpretation of Part 8), omit the definition...
49. For section 111(7) (definitions) substitute— (7) In this section “prescribed”...
50. In section 127(7) (expert evidence: preparatory work)—
51. For section 132(10) (definitions), substitute— (10) In this section “prescribed”...
52. In paragraph 5 of Schedule 6 (evidence of bad character:...
53. For paragraph 2(6) of Schedule 7 (hearsay evidence: armed forces),...

Explanatory Note