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PROSPECTIVE

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 3

Minor and consequential amendments

#### PART 1

Amendments of primary legislation

*The Justice (Northern Ireland) Act 2002*

**55.** In Schedule 6 (office-holders required to take judicial oath) omit the entry relating to a Chairman of an Appeal Tribunal for the purposes of the Adoption (Northern Ireland) Order 1987.

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#### Commencement Information

**II** Sch. 3 para. 55 not in operation at Royal Assent, see [s. 160\(1\)](#)

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

- Act applied (with modifications) by S.I. 2018/412, Sch. 3 (as substituted) by [2022 c. 18 \(N.I.\) Sch. 3 para. 83](#)