

# Matrimonial and Family Proceedings Act 1984

## **1984 CHAPTER 42**

#### PART V

FAMILY BUSINESS: DISTRIBUTION AND TRANSFER

Distribution of business: proceedings under s. 17 of Married Women's Property Act 1882

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In section 17 of the MI Married Women's Property Act 1882 (which provides for the summary determination of property disputes between spouses and, as extended, former spouses and former engaged couples) for the words after "in a summary way" there shall be substituted the words

"to the High Court or such county court as may be prescribed and the court may, on such an application (which may be heard in private), make such order with respect to the property as it thinks fit.

In this section "prescribed" means prescribed by rules of court and rules made for the purposes of this section may confer jurisdiction on county courts whatever the situation or value of the property in dispute.".

# **Marginal Citations**

**M1** 1882 c. 75.

## **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Matrimonial and Family Proceedings Act 1984, Cross Heading: Distribution of business: proceedings under s. 17 of Married Women's Property Act 1882.