



Forced Marriage (Civil Protection) Act 2007

CHAPTER 20

FORCED MARRIAGE (CIVIL PROTECTION) ACT 2007

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Forced marriage protection orders

- 1 (1) The court may make an order for the purposes...

Contents of orders

- 2 (1) A forced marriage protection order may contain—

Applications and other occasions for making orders

- 3 (1) The court may make a forced marriage protection order—...

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- 4 (1) The court may, in any case where it considers...

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Duration of orders

- 5 A forced marriage protection order may be made for a...

Variation of orders and their discharge

- 6 (1) The court may vary or discharge a forced marriage...
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Offence of contravening an order

- 7 Any person who, without reasonable excuse, contravenes a forced marriage...
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Jurisdiction of courts

- 8 (1) For the purposes of this Schedule “the court” means...

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- 9 (1) The Lord Chancellor may, after consulting the Lord Chief...

Contempt proceedings

- 10 The powers of the court in relation to contempt of...

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- 11 (1) An appeal lies to the High Court against—

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- 12 (1) The Lord Chancellor may, after consulting the Lord Chief...
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- 13 (1) The Department of Finance and Personnel may from time...

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- 14 (1) An order made by the Department of Finance and...

Other protection or assistance against forced marriage

- 15 (1) This Schedule does not affect any other protection or...

Interpretation

- 16 In this Schedule— “the court” is to be read with...

SCHEDULE 2 — Consequential amendments

Part 1 — ENGLAND AND WALES

- 1 In paragraph 3(f)(i) of Schedule 1 to the Supreme Court...
2 In section 58A(2)(f) of the Courts and Legal Services Act...
3 (1) The Family Law Act 1996 (c. 27) is amended...

Part 2 — NORTHERN IRELAND

- 4 In Article 2(3) of the Family Homes and Domestic Violence...

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5 In Article 39(2) of the Access to Justice (Northern Ireland)...

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