



Presumption of Death Act 2013

2013 CHAPTER 13

Further provision about declarations and orders

10 Attorney General

- (1) In proceedings on an application under this Act for a declaration or a variation order, the court may at any stage direct that papers relating to the matter be sent to the Attorney General.
- (2) It may do so on the application of a party to the proceedings or without such an application being made.
- (3) Where the Attorney General incurs costs in connection with an application under this Act for a declaration or a variation order, the court may make such order as it considers appropriate as to the payment of the costs by parties to the proceedings.
- (4) Subsection (3) applies whether the costs are incurred by virtue of a direction under subsection (1), an intervention under section 11(2) or otherwise.