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## SCHEDULE

### MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

#### PART 1

##### AMENDMENTS TO THE MATRIMONIAL CAUSES ACT 1973

- 31 (1) Section 49 (parties to proceedings under this Act) is amended as follows.
- (2) Omit subsections (1) to (3).
- (3) In subsection (4)—
- (a) omit “, in cases not falling within subsection (1) above,”;
- (b) omit “adultery or other”.
- (4) In subsection (5), for the words from the beginning to “suit or” substitute “ In every case ”.

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#### Commencement Information

**II** [Sch. para. 31](#) in force at 6.4.2022 by [S.I. 2022/283](#), [reg. 2](#)

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