



Administration of Justice Act 1960

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Appeal to House of Lords in Criminal Cases

^{F1}2 Application for leave to appeal.

- (1) Subject to the provisions of this section, an application to the court below for leave to appeal shall be made within the period of [^{F2}28] days beginning with the [^{F3}relevant date]; and an application to the [^{F4}Supreme Court] for such leave shall be made within the period of [^{F5}28] days beginning with the date on which the application is refused by the court below.

[In subsection (1), “the relevant date” means—

- ^{F6}(1A) (a) the date of the decision of the court below, or
(b) if later, the date on which that court gives reasons for its decision.]

^{F7}(2)

- (3) ^{F8}... The [^{F4}Supreme Court] or the court below may, upon application made at any time by the defendant, extend the time within which an application may be made by him to [^{F9}the Supreme Court or the court below] under subsection (1) of this section.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 1–5 repealed (N.I.) (with saving) by [Judicature \(Northern Ireland\) Act 1978 \(c. 23\)](#), **Sch. 6 para. 13**
- F2** Words in s. 2(1) substituted (E.W.) (1.4.2005) by [Courts Act 2003 \(c. 39\)](#), ss. 88(1)(2)(a), 110(1); S.I. 2005/910, art. 3(v)
- F3** Words in s. 2(1) substituted (E.W.) (1.4.2005) by [Courts Act 2003 \(c. 39\)](#), ss. 88(1)(2)(b), 110(1); S.I. 2005/910, art. 3(v)
- F4** Words in s. 2 substituted (1.10.2009) by [Constitutional Reform Act 2005 \(c. 4\)](#), s. 148(1), **Sch. 9 para. 13(3)(a)**; S.I. 2009/1604, art. 2(d)
- F5** Words in s. 2(1) substituted (E.W.) (1.4.2005) by [Courts Act 2003 \(c. 39\)](#), ss. 88(1)(2)(a), 110(1); S.I. 2005/910, art. 3(v)
- F6** S. 1(1A) inserted (E.W.) (1.4.2005) by [Courts Act 2003 \(c. 39\)](#), ss. 88(3), 110(1); S.I. 2005/910, art. 3(v)

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- F7** S. 2(2) repealed by [Criminal Appeal Act 1968 \(c. 19\)](#), s. 55(3), **Sch. 7**
- F8** Words in s. 2(3) repealed (1.4.2005) by [Courts Act 2003 \(c. 39\)](#), s. 110(1), **Sch. 8** para. 111, **Sch. 10**; [S.I. 2005/910](#), art. 3(y)
- F9** Words in s. 2 substituted (1.10.2009) by [Constitutional Reform Act 2005 \(c. 4\)](#), s. 148(1), **Sch. 9** para. **13(3)(b)**; [S.I. 2009/1604](#), art. 2(d)

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