
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1998 No. 3132

The Civil Procedure Rules 1998

[^{F1}Part 80

Proceedings under the Terrorism Prevention and Investigation
Measures Act 2011[^{F1}and Part 2 of the National Security Act 2023]

SECTION 4

General Provisions

[^{F1}Closed material

- 80.24.**—(1) The Secretary of State—
- (a) must apply to the court for permission to withhold closed material from a relevant party or the relevant party’s legal representative in accordance with this rule; and
 - (b) may not rely on closed material at a hearing on notice unless a special advocate has been appointed to represent the interests of the relevant party.
- (2) The Secretary of State must file with the court and, at such time as the court directs, serve on the special advocate—
- (a) the closed material;
 - (b) a statement of the Secretary of State’s reasons for withholding that material from the relevant party; and
 - (c) if the Secretary of State considers it possible to provide a summary of that material without disclosing information contrary to the public interest, a summary of that material in a form which can be served on the relevant party.
- (3) The Secretary of State may at any time amend or supplement material filed under this rule, but only with—
- (a) the agreement of the special advocate; or
 - (b) the permission of the court.]

Textual Amendments

F1 Pt. 80 inserted (15.12.2011) by [The Civil Procedure \(Amendment No. 3\) Rules 2011 \(S.I. 2011/2970\)](#), rule 1, [Sch.](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Civil Procedure Rules 1998, Section 80.24.