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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2001 No. 4015**

**The Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 5) Rules 2001**

**Amendments to the Civil Procedure Rules 1998**

**15.** In rule 20.6—

(a) at the beginning, insert “(1)”;

(b) after paragraph (1), insert—

“(2) A defendant may file and serve a notice under this rule—

(a) without the court’s permission, if he files and serves it—

(i) with his defence; or

(ii) if his claim for contribution or indemnity is against a defendant added to the claim later, within 28 days after that defendant files his defence; or

(b) at any other time with the court’s permission.”.