#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2003 No. 1034

# The Special Immigration Appeals Commission (Procedure) Rules 2003

#### PART 2

### APPEALS TO THE COMMISSION UNDER THE 1997 ACT

#### Starting an appeal

- 7.—(1) An appeal to the Commission under the 1997 Act must be made by giving notice of appeal in accordance with these Rules.
  - (2) Subject to paragraph (3), notice of appeal must be given by filing it with the Commission.
- (3) A person who is in detention under the Immigration Acts or the 2001 Act may give notice of appeal either—
  - (a) in accordance with paragraph (2); or
  - (b) by serving it on the person having custody of him.
- (4) When a person files a notice of appeal in accordance with paragraph (2), he must at the same time serve a copy of the notice and any accompanying documents on the Secretary of State.
  - (5) Where notice of appeal is given in accordance with paragraph (3)(b)—
    - (a) the person having custody of the appellant must endorse on the notice the date that it is served on him and forward it to the Commission; and
    - (b) the Commission must serve a copy of the notice and any accompanying documents on the Secretary of State.