STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The European Communities (Lawyer's Practice) (Amendment) Regulations 2004

Transitional provisions

2.—(1) In this regulation "relevant lawyer" means a European lawyer, as defined by the Regulations but only as they are amended by these Regulations, who satisfies either or both of the conditions set out in paragraph (2) of this regulation.

- (2) Those conditions are that—
 - (a) that person is a national of Switzerland, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Hungary, Malta, Poland, Slovenia or Slovakia; or
 - (b) that person is authorised in any of those States to pursue professional activities under any of the professional titles appearing in regulation 2(4) of the Regulations as it is amended by these Regulations, opposite the name of that State.
- (3) Regulations 21 and 22 shall apply to a relevant lawyer only as from 16th March 2005.
- (4) Regulation 1(2) to (5) shall apply to a relevant lawyer with the following modifications—
 - (a) for "22nd May 2000", where it occurs in paragraph (2), there shall be substituted "16th September 2004";
 - (b) for "21st November 2000", wherever it occurs, there shall be substituted "15th March 2005"; and
 - (c) for "22nd November 2000", wherever it occurs, there shall be substituted "16th March 2005".