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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2010 No. 60**

**The Criminal Procedure Rules 2010**

**PART 69**

**APPEAL TO THE COURT OF APPEAL REGARDING  
REPORTING OR PUBLIC ACCESS RESTRICTION**

**When this Part applies**

**69.1.**—(1) This Part applies where a person directly affected by an order to which section 159(1) of the Criminal Justice Act 1988(1) applies wants to appeal against that order.

(2) A reference to an ‘appellant’ in this Part is a reference to such a party.

*[Note. Section 159(1) of the Criminal Justice Act 1988 gives a ‘person aggrieved’ (in this Part described as a person directly affected) a right of appeal to the Court of Appeal against a Crown Court judge’s order—*

- (a) *under section 4 or 11 of the Contempt of Court Act 1981(2);*
- (b) *under section 58(7) of the Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996(3);*
- (c) *restricting public access to any part of a trial for reasons of national security or for the protection of a witness or other person; or*
- (d) *restricting the reporting of any part of a trial.*

*See Rule 16.10 for the procedure on an application to restrict public access to a trial.*

*The rules in Part 65 also apply where this Part applies.]*

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(1) 1988 c. 33; section 159(1) was amended by section 61 of the Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 (c. 25).  
(2) 1981 c. 49; section 4 was amended by section 57 of the Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 (c. 25), section 16 of, and Schedule 2 to the Defamation Act 1996 (c. 31) and the Statute Law (Repeals) Act 2004 (c. 14). It is further amended by section 41 of, and paragraph 53 of Schedule 3 to, the Criminal Justice Act 2003 (c. 44), with effect from a date to be appointed.  
(3) 1996 c. 25.