
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2010 No. 60

The Criminal Procedure Rules 2010

PART 70

**REFERENCE TO THE COURT OF APPEAL OF POINT
OF LAW OR UNDULY LENIENT SENTENCING**

Registrar's notice to defendant

70.4.—(1) The Registrar must serve on the defendant—

- (a) a notice of reference;
- (b) an application for permission to refer a sentencing case.

(2) Where the Attorney General refers a point of law, the Registrar must give the defendant notice that—

- (a) the outcome of the reference will not make any difference to the outcome of the trial; and
- (b) the defendant may serve a respondent's notice.

(3) Where the Attorney General applies for permission to refer a sentencing case, the Registrar must give the defendant notice that—

- (a) the outcome of the reference may make a difference to that sentencing, and in particular may result in a more severe sentence; and
- (b) the defendant may serve a respondent's notice.