
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2017 No. 1035

The Court of Protection Rules 2017

PART 1

THE OVERRIDING OBJECTIVE

Duties to further the overriding objective

The duty of legal representatives

1.5.—(1) Legal representatives of parties are required to help the court to further the overriding objective.

- (2) Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (1), a legal representative of a party must—
- (a) comply with any applicable rules, practice directions or orders of the court;
 - (b) follow (where appropriate) the applicable case pathway; and
 - (c) address whether the case can be swiftly resolved.