#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2017 No. 1035

### The Court of Protection Rules 2017

#### **PART 17**

# LITIGATION FRIENDS AND RULE 1.2 REPRESENTATIVES SECTION 1 – LITIGATION FRIENDS

#### Procedure where appointment of a litigation friend comes to an end for a child

- 17.7. When a child reaches 18, provided the child is neither—
  - (a) P; nor
  - (b) a protected party,

the litigation friend's appointment ends and the child must serve notice on every other party—

- (i) stating that the child has reached full age;
- (ii) stating that the appointment of the litigation friend has ended; and
- (iii) providing an address for service.

**Changes to legislation:**There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Court of Protection Rules 2017, Section 17.