#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2020 No. 759

## The Criminal Procedure Rules 2020

#### **PART 17**

### WITNESS SUMMONSES, WARRANTS AND ORDERS

#### Issue etc. of summons, warrant or order with or without a hearing

- **17.2.**—(1) The court may issue or withdraw a witness summons, warrant or order with or without a hearing.
  - (2) A hearing under this Part must be in private unless the court otherwise directs.

[Note. If rule 17.5 applies, a person served with an application for a witness summons will have an opportunity to make representations about whether there should be a hearing of that application before the witness summons is issued.]