STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2021 No. 875

The Family Procedure (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2021

Amendment of rule 27.11

10. In rule 27.11 (attendance at private hearings)-

- (a) in paragraph (2)—
 - (i) at the end of sub-paragraph (f) omit "and";
 - (ii) after sub-paragraph (f) insert—
 - "(ff) a duly authorised lawyer attending for journalistic, research or public legal educational purposes; and";
- (b) in paragraphs (3) and (5) after "paragraph (2)(f)" insert "and (ff)";
- (c) in paragraph (4) after "paragraph (2)(f)" insert "or (ff)"; and
- (d) for paragraph (7) substitute—
 - "(7) In this rule—

"duly accredited" refers to accreditation in accordance with any administrative scheme for the time being approved for the purposes of this rule by the Lord Chancellor; and

"duly authorised lawyer" means a person who meets the criteria specified in Practice Direction 27B.".