



Criminal Procedure (Attendance of Witnesses) Act 1965

1965 CHAPTER 69

^{F1}Issue of witness summons of court's own motion

2D ^{F1} **Issue of witness summons of Crown Court's own motion.**

For the purpose of any criminal proceedings before it, the Crown Court may of its own motion issue a summons (a witness summons) directed to a person and requiring him to—

- (a) attend before the court at the time and place stated in the summons, and
- (b) give evidence, or produce any document or thing specified in the summons.

Textual Amendments

F1 Ss. 2-2E, the cross heading before s. 2, the cross heading before s. 2D and the cross heading following s. 2E substituted (4.7.1996 with effect at 1.4.1999 as appointed day by [S.I. 1999/718, art. 2](#)) for s. 2 by 1996 c. 25, s. 66(2)(7) (with s. 78(1)); [S.I. 1999/718, art. 2](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Criminal Procedure (Attendance of Witnesses) Act 1965, Section 2D.