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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 2

CIVIL PARTNERSHIPS OF PERSONS UNDER 18: ENGLAND AND WALES

PART 4

PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE COURT

- 15 (1) For the purposes of Parts 2 and 3 of this Schedule, “the court” means—
- (a) the High Court, [^{F1}or]
 - [^{F2}(c) the family court.]
- (2) Rules of court may be made for enabling applications under Part 2 or 3 of this Schedule—
- (a) if made to the High Court, to be heard in chambers;
 - [^{F3}(b)
 - (c) if made to [^{F4}the family court], to be heard and determined otherwise than in open court.
- (3) Rules of court must provide that, where an application is made in consequence of a refusal to give consent, notice of the application is to be served on the person who has refused consent.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Word in Sch. 2 para. 15(1) inserted (22.4.2014) by [Crime and Courts Act 2013 \(c. 22\), s. 61\(3\)](#), [Sch. 11 para. 168\(2\)\(a\)](#); S.I. 2014/954, art. 2(e) (with art. 3) (with transitional provisions and savings in S.I. 2014/956, arts. 3-11)
- F2** Sch. 2 para. 15(1)(c) substituted for Sch. 2 para. 15(1)(b)(c) (22.4.2014) by [Crime and Courts Act 2013 \(c. 22\), s. 61\(3\)](#), [Sch. 11 para. 168\(2\)\(b\)](#); S.I. 2014/954, art. 2(e) (with art. 3) (with transitional provisions and savings in S.I. 2014/956, arts. 3-11)
- F3** Sch. 2 para. 15(2)(b) omitted (22.4.2014) by virtue of [Crime and Courts Act 2013 \(c. 22\), s. 61\(3\)](#), [Sch. 11 para. 168\(3\)\(a\)](#); S.I. 2014/954, art. 2(e) (with art. 3) (with transitional provisions and savings in S.I. 2014/956, arts. 3-11)
- F4** Words in Sch. 2 para. 15(2)(c) substituted (22.4.2014) by [Crime and Courts Act 2013 \(c. 22\), s. 61\(3\)](#), [Sch. 11 para. 168\(3\)\(b\)](#); S.I. 2014/954, art. 2(e) (with art. 3) (with transitional provisions and savings in S.I. 2014/956, arts. 3-11)

Commencement Information

- I1** Sch. 2 para. 15 wholly in force at 5.12.2005; Sch. 2 para. 15 not in force at Royal Assent see s. 263; Sch. 2 para. 15(2)(3) in force at 15.4.2005 by [S.I. 2005/1112, art. 2](#), [Sch. 1](#) and Sch. 2 para. 15(1) in force otherwise at 5.12.2005 by [S.I. 2005/3175, art. 2\(1\)](#), [Sch. 1](#)

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