
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1981 No. 228

**Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance
(Northern Ireland) Order 1981**

PART II

**LEGAL ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE, AND LEGAL AID OTHER
THAN FREE LEGAL AID AVAILABLE UNDER PART III**

Legal aid

Remuneration of persons giving legal aid

13.—(1) Subject to this Part, a solicitor who has acted for a person receiving legal aid shall be paid for so acting out of the legal aid fund, and any fees paid to counsel for so acting shall also be paid out of the legal aid fund.

(2) Subject to any rules of court made by virtue of^{F1} Article 12(3)(g) of the Family Law (Northern Ireland) Order 1993], the sums payable under paragraph (1) to a solicitor or counsel shall not exceed those allowed under Schedule 2.

(3) Nothing in this Article shall prejudice^{F2} Article 15A(b)], and in particular—

- (a) paragraph (2) shall not affect the sums recoverable by virtue of an order for costs made in favour of a person who had received legal aid or of an agreement for costs so made which provides for taxation; and
- (b) for the purpose of any such order or agreement, the solicitor who acted for the person in whose favour it is made shall be treated as having paid any counsel's fees.

(4) References in this Article to a solicitor acting for a person receiving legal aid shall be construed in accordance with Article 15(4).

F1 1993 NI 6

F2 2005 NI 19

Status:

Point in time view as at 27/10/2008. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1981, Section 13 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 11 June 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.