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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**1997 No. 538**

**Magistrates' Courts (Domestic Proceedings)  
(Amendment) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1997**

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

1.—(1) These Rules may be cited as the Magistrates' Courts (Domestic Proceedings) (Amendment) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1997 and shall come into operation on 5th January 1998.

(2) In these Rules “the principal Rules” means the Magistrates' Courts (Domestic Proceedings) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1996(1).