

Access to Justice Act 1999

1999 CHAPTER 22

PART III

PROVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES

Barristers and solicitors

44 Barristers employed by solicitors etc.

- (1) Where a barrister is employed by—
 - (a) a solicitor or other authorised litigator (within the meaning of the MICourts and Legal Services Act 1990), or
 - (b) a body recognised under section 9 of the M2 Administration of Justice Act 1985 (incorporated solicitors' practices),

any rules of the General Council of the Bar which impose a prohibition or limitation on the provision of legal services shall not operate to prevent him from providing legal services to clients of his employer if either of the conditions specified in subsection (2) is satisfied.

- (2) Those conditions are—
 - (a) that the prohibition or limitation is on the provision of the services otherwise than on the instructions of a solicitor (or other person acting for the client), and
 - (b) that the prohibition or limitation does not apply to barristers who provide legal services but are not employees.

Marginal Citations

M1 1990 c.41.

M2 1985 c.61.

Status:

Point in time view as at 19/02/2001. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Access to Justice Act 1999, Section 44.