STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1979 No. 968 (L. 12)

SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE, ENGLAND AND WALES FEES AND STAMPS

The Supreme Court Fees (Amendment) Order 1979

Made - - -

27th July 1979

Coming into Operation

3rd September 1979

The Lord Chancellor, the Judges of the Supreme Court and the Treasury, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in them respectively by section 213 of the Supreme Court of Judicature (Consolidation) Act 1925(a), section 365(3) of the Companies Act 1948(b) and sections 2 and 3 of the Public Offices Fees Act 1879(c), do hereby, according as the provisions of the said enactments respectively authorise and require them, make, advise, concur in, sanction and consent to the following Order:—

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Supreme Court Fees (Amendment) Order 1979 and shall come into operation on 3rd September 1979.
- 2. The Schedule to the Supreme Court Fees Order(d) shall be further amended as follows:—

For the figures "£20" and "£25" appearing in *Column 2* as the fees payable in respect of item 1, sub-paragraph (i) (sealing a writ or other originating process) there shall be substituted "£25" (in the case of a writ indorsed with a liquidated sum not exceeding £2,000) and "£30" (in any other case).

Dated 20th July 1979.

Hailsham of St. Marylebone, C.

Dated 26th July 1979.

Widgery, C. J.

Denning, M. R.

George Baker, P.

Dated 27th July 1979.

J. A. Douglas-Hamilton,

John MacGregor,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

⁽a) 1925 c. 49. (b) 1948 c. 38. (d) S.I. 1975/1343, as amended by S.I. 1976/1506, 1978/1244.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order increases the fee payable on the issue of a writ or other originating process in the High Court by adding £5 to the existing fee.

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