
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1991 No. 1184

The County Courts (Interest on Judgment Debts) Order 1991

Citation, commencement, interpretation and savings

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the County Courts (Interest on Judgment Debts) Order 1991 and shall come into force on 1st July 1991.

(2) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

“administration order” means an order under section 112 of the 1984 Act;

“given”, in relation to a relevant judgment, means “given or made”;

“judgment creditor” means the person who has obtained or is entitled to enforce the relevant judgment and “debtor” means the person against whom it was given;

“judgment debt” means a debt under a relevant judgment;

“relevant judgment” means a judgment or order of a county court for the payment of a sum of money of not less than £5,000 and, in relation to a judgment debt, means the judgment or order which gives rise to the judgment debt;

“the 1984 Act” means the County Courts Act 1984.

(3) Where in accordance with the provisions of this Order interest ceases to accrue on a specified day, interest shall cease to accrue at the end of that day.

(4) Nothing in this Order shall apply where the relevant judgment is given before 1st July 1991.