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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1998 No. 2572**

**The Family Law Act 1996  
(Commencement) (No. 3) Order 1998**

**Transitional provisions**

**4.** Until such time as Schedule 2 to the Act comes into force<sup>(1)</sup>, section 31(7A) to (7F) of the 1973 Act shall be modified as follows:

- (a) in section 31(7D), for “Subsections (7) and (8) of section 22A” there shall be substituted “Section 23(6)”, and for “section 22A” there shall be substituted “section 23”;
- (b) in section 31(7F), for “section 23A” there shall be substituted “section 24”.

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<sup>(1)</sup> Schedule 2 to the Family Law Act 1996, which has yet to come into force, makes substantial amendments to Part II of the Matrimonial Causes Act 1973.