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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1998 No. 3132**

**The Civil Procedure Rules 1998**

**PART 27**

**THE SMALL CLAIMS TRACK**

**Extent to which other Parts apply**

**27.2.**—(1) The following Parts of these Rules do not apply to small claims—

- (a) Part 25 (interim remedies) except as it relates to interim injunctions<sup>(GL)</sup>;
- (b) Part 31 (disclosure and inspection);
- (c) Part 32 (evidence) except rule 32.1 (power of court to control evidence);
- (d) Part 33 (miscellaneous rules about evidence);
- (e) Part 35 (experts and assessors) except rules 35.1 (duty to restrict expert evidence), 35.3 (experts—overriding duty to the court) [<sup>F1</sup>, 35.7 (court’s power to direct that evidence is to be given by single joint expert)] and 35.8 (instructions to a single joint expert);
- (f) [<sup>F2</sup>Subject to paragraph (3),] Part 18 (further information);
- (g) Part 36 (offers to settle and payments into court); and
- (h) Part 39 (hearings) except rule 39.2 (general rule—hearing to be in public).

(2) The other Parts of these Rules apply to small claims except to the extent that a rule limits such application.

[<sup>F3</sup>(3) The court of its own initiative may order a party to provide further information if it considers it appropriate to do so.]

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in rule 27.2(1)(e) inserted (2.5.2000) by [The Civil Procedure \(Amendment\) Rules 2000 \(S.I. 2000/221\)](#), rules 1(b), **15**
- F2** Words in rule 27.2(1)(f) inserted (1.10.2005) by [The Civil Procedure \(Amendment No.3\) Rules 2005 \(S.I. 2005/2292\)](#), rules 1(c), **29(a)**
- F3** [Rule 27.2\(3\)](#) inserted (1.10.2005) by [The Civil Procedure \(Amendment No.3\) Rules 2005 \(S.I. 2005/2292\)](#), rules 1(c), **29(b)**

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**Commencement Information**

- I1** [Rule 27.2](#) in force at 26.4.1999, see [Signature](#)

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/10/2005. This version of this provision has been superseded.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Civil Procedure Rules 1998, Section 27.2.