
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Civil Procedure Rules 1998

PART 40

JUDGMENTS AND ORDERS

Drawing up and filing of judgments and orders

- 40.3.**—(1) Every judgment or order will be drawn up by the court unless—
- (a) the court orders a party to draw it up;
 - (b) a party, with the permission of the court, agrees to draw it up;
 - (c) the court dispenses with the need to draw it up; or
 - (d) it is a consent order under rule 40.6.
- (2) The court may direct that—
- (a) a judgment or an order drawn up by a party must be checked by the court before it is sealed^(GL); or
 - (b) before a judgment or an order is drawn up by the court, the parties must file an agreed statement of its terms.
- (3) Where a judgment or an order is to be drawn up by a party—
- (a) he must file it no later than 7 days after the date on which the court ordered or permitted him to draw it up so that it can be sealed^(GL) by the court; and
 - (b) if he fails to file it within that period, any other party may draw it up and file it.