
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1998 No. 3132

The Civil Procedure Rules 1998

[^{F1}PART 6

SERVICE OF DOCUMENTS

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THE CLAIM FORM IN THE UNITED KINGDOM*

[^{F1}Methods of service

- 6.20.**—(1) A document may be served by any of the following methods—
- (a) personal service, in accordance with rule 6.22;
 - (b) first class post, document exchange or other service which provides for delivery on the next business day, in accordance with Practice Direction A supplementing this Part;
 - (c) leaving it at a place specified in rule 6.23;
 - (d) fax or other means of electronic communication in accordance with Practice Direction A supplementing this Part; or
 - (e) any method authorised by the court under rule 6.27.
- (2) A company may be served—
- (a) by any method permitted under this Part; or
 - (b) by any of the methods of service set out in the Companies Act 1985 or the Companies Act 2006.
- (3) A limited liability partnership may be served—
- (a) by any method permitted under this Part; or
 - (b) by any of the methods of service set out in section 725 of the Companies Act 1985.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Pt. 6 substituted (1.10.2008) by [The Civil Procedure \(Amendment\) Rules 2008 \(S.I. 2008/2178\)](#), rule 1(2), [Sch. 1](#)

Status:

Point in time view as at 31/08/2009. This version of this provision has been superseded.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 6.20.