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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1998 No. 3132**

The Civil Procedure Rules 1998

[<sup>F1</sup>PART 65

PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO ANTI-  
SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR AND HARASSMENT

SECTION III

*[<sup>F1</sup>Demotion claims, proceedings related to demoted  
tenancies and applications to suspend the right to buy]*

[<sup>F1</sup>Defendant's response

**65.17.**—(1) An acknowledgement of service is not required and Part 10 does not apply.

(2) Where the defendant does not file a defence within the time specified in rule 15.4 he may take part in any hearing but the court may take his failure to do so into account when deciding what order to make about costs.

(3) Part 12 (default judgment) does not apply <sup>F2</sup>....]

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**Textual Amendments**

**F1** Pt. 65 inserted (30.6.2004) by The Civil Procedure (Amendment) Rules 2004 (S.I. 2004/1306), rule 1(b), Sch. 2 (with rule 20(2)(a))

**F2** Words in rule 65.17(3) omitted (1.10.2005) by virtue of The Civil Procedure (Amendment No.3) Rules 2005 (S.I. 2005/2292), rules 1(c), 48(g)

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 02/10/2006. This version of this provision has been superseded.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 65.17.