#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1998 No. 3132

## The Civil Procedure Rules 1998

# [F1PART 66 CROWN PROCEEDINGS

#### [F1Counterclaims, other Part 20 claims, and set-off

- **66.4.**—(1) In a claim by the Crown for taxes, duties or penalties, the defendant cannot make a counterclaim or other Part 20 claim or raise a defence of set-off.
- (2) In any other claim by the Crown, the defendant cannot make a counterclaim or other Part 20 claim or raise a defence of set-off which is based on a claim for repayment of taxes, duties or penalties.
- (3) In proceedings by or against the Crown in the name of the Attorney-General, no counterclaim or other Part 20 claim can be made or defence of set-off raised without the permission of the court.
- (4) In proceedings by or against the Crown in the name of a government department, no counterclaim or other Part 20 claim can be made or defence of set-off raised without the permission of the court unless the subject-matter relates to that government department.]

#### **Textual Amendments**

F1 Pt. 66 inserted (1.10.2005) by The Civil Procedure (Amendment No.3) Rules 2005 (S.I. 2005/2292), rule 1(c), Sch. 2

### **Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/10/2007. This version of this provision has been superseded.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 66.4.