

2000 No. 1482

**SUPREME COURT, ENGLAND AND WALES
COUNTY COURTS, ENGLAND AND WALES**

The Civil Courts (Amendment) Order 2000

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>6th June 2000</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>6th June 2000</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	
<i>articles 3 and 4</i>	<i>2nd January 2001</i>
<i>otherwise</i>	<i>3rd July 2000</i>

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 99(1) of the Supreme Court Act 1981(a), sections 2(1) and 26 of the County Courts Act 1984(b) and section 374(1) of the Insolvency Act 1986(c), hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Civil Courts (Amendment) Order 2000 and shall come into force:

- (a) as to articles 3 and 4, on 2nd January 2001; and
- (b) as to the remainder of this Order, on 3rd July 2000.

(2) In this Order, a Schedule referred to by number alone means the Schedule so numbered in the Civil Courts Order 1983(d).

Changes to district registries and county courts

2.—(1) The holding of the Lichfield County Court shall be discontinued(e).

(2) In Schedule 1, in the entry relating to Walsall, “Lichfield” shall be deleted from the second column.

(3) In Schedule 3 the entry relating to Lichfield shall be deleted.

3.—(1) The district registry of the High Court at Workington shall be closed and the holding of the Workington County Court shall be discontinued.

(a) 1981 c. 54.

(b) 1984 c. 28.

(c) 1986 c. 45.

(d) S.I. 1983/713; amended by S.I. 1984/1075, 1989/106 and 1999/1011.

(e) Directions given on behalf of the Lord Chancellor under section 2(3) of the County Courts Act 1984 will determine which court districts will include the former district of Lichfield with effect from 3rd July 2000, and that of Workington with effect from 2nd January 2001.

