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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2005 No. 2795**

The Family Procedure (Adoption) Rules 2005

PART 6

SERVICE

SECTION 2

*SERVICE OUT OF THE JURISDICTION*

**Scope and definitions**

**42.**—(1) This Section contains rules about—

- (a) service out of the jurisdiction; and
- (b) the procedure for serving out of the jurisdiction.  
(Rule 6 defines “jurisdiction”.)

(2) In this Section—

“application form” includes application notice; and

“the Hague Convention” means the Convention on the service abroad of judicial and extra-judicial documents in civil or commercial matters signed at the Hague on November 15, 1965<sup>(1)</sup>.