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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2010 No. 2955**

**The Family Procedure Rules 2010**

[<sup>F1</sup>PART 37

APPLICATIONS AND PROCEEDINGS IN  
RELATION TO CONTEMPT OF COURT

*CHAPTER 1*

*Scope and interpretation*

[<sup>F1</sup>**Saving for other powers**

**37.2.**—(1) This Part is concerned only with procedure and does not itself confer upon the court the power to make an order for—

- (a) committal;
  - (b) sequestration; or
  - (c) the imposition of a fine in respect of contempt of court.
- (2) Nothing in this Part affects the power of the court to make an order requiring a person—
- (a) guilty of contempt of court; or
  - (b) punishable by virtue of any enactment as if that person had been guilty of contempt of the High Court,

to pay a fine or to give security for good behaviour.

(3) Nothing in this Part affects any statutory or inherent power of the court to make a committal order of its own initiative against a person guilty of contempt of court.]

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Pt. 37 inserted (22.4.2014) by [The Family Procedure \(Amendment No. 2\) Rules 2014 \(S.I. 2014/667\)](#), [rules 44](#), [Sch.](#) (with [rule 45](#))

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 22/04/2014. This version of this provision has been superseded.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Family Procedure Rules 2010, Section 37.2.