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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2014 No. 610**

**The Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 3) Rules 2014**

**Amendments to the Civil Procedure Rules**

**3.** In Part 54 of the Civil Procedure Rules 1998(1), after rule 54.20 insert the following new Section—

*“II PLANNING COURT*

**General**

**54.21.**—(1) This Section applies to Planning Court claims.

(2) In this Section, “Planning Court claim” means a judicial review or statutory challenge which —

(a) involves any of the following matters —

- (i) planning permission, other development consents, the enforcement of planning control and the enforcement of other statutory schemes;
- (ii) applications under the Transport and Works Act 1992;
- (iii) wayleaves;
- (iv) highways and other rights of way;
- (v) compulsory purchase orders;
- (vi) village greens;
- (vii) European Union environmental legislation and domestic transpositions, including assessments for development consents, habitats, waste and pollution control;
- (viii) national, regional or other planning policy documents, statutory or otherwise; or
- (ix) any other matter the judge appointed under rule 54.22(2) considers appropriate; and

(b) has been issued or transferred to the Planning Court.

(Part 30 (Transfer) applies to transfers to and from the Planning Court.)

**Specialist list**

**54.22.**—(1) The Planning Court claims form a specialist list.

(2) A judge nominated by the President of the Queen’s Bench Division will be in charge of the Planning Court specialist list and will be known as the Planning Liaison Judge.

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### **Application of the Civil Procedure Rules**

**54.23.** These Rules and their practice directions will apply to Planning Court claims unless this section or a practice direction provides otherwise.

### **Further provision about Planning Court claims**

**54.24.** Practice Direction 54E makes further provision about Planning Court claims, in particular about the timescales for determining such claims.”