STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 879

The Crime and Courts Act 2013 (Family Court: Consequential Provision) (No.2) Order 2014

PART 2

Amendments to secondary legislation

Amendments to the Magistrates' Courts Rules 1981

20. After rule 101A insert—

"Direction to a local authority under section 447(2) and (3) of the Education Act 1996

101B.—(1) For the purposes of section 447(2) and (3) of the Education Act 1996, a direction by a magistrates' court to a local authority to apply for an education supervision order must be in writing.

(2) Where, following such a direction, a local authority informs the court that they have decided not to apply for an education supervision order, they must do so in writing.

(3) In this rule, "education supervision order" has the meaning assigned to it by section 36(2) of the Children Act 1989.".