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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2015 No. 670**

**The Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2015**

**Amendments to the Civil Procedure Rules 1998**

**5.** In rule 46.4—

- (a) in paragraph (3), before “Practice Direction 46” insert “paragraph (5) or in”; and
- (b) after paragraph (4) insert—

“(5) Where the costs payable comprise only the success fee claimed by the child’s or protected party’s legal representative under a conditional fee agreement or the balance of any payment under a damages based agreement, the court may direct that—

- (a) the assessment procedure referred to in rule 46.10 and paragraph 6 of Practice Direction 46 shall not apply; and
- (b) such costs be assessed summarily.”.