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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2022 No. 783**

**The Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2022**

**Amendment of Part 6**

- 7.—(1) In rule 6.7, in the words in parentheses at the end of the rule—
- (a) for “7C” substitute “7B”; and
  - (b) for “7E” substitute “7C”.
- (2) In rule 6.8, in the first set of words in parentheses at the end of the rule—
- (a) for “7C” substitute “7B”; and
  - (b) for “7E” substitute “7C”.
- (3) In rule 6.23—
- (a) in paragraph (1)—
    - (i) for “A party” substitute “Unless the court orders otherwise, a party”; and
    - (ii) in the second sentence, omit the words “unless the court orders otherwise”;
  - (b) in paragraph (2)—
    - (i) for “or practice direction” substitute “, practice direction or order”; and
    - (ii) in the words in parentheses after sub-paragraph (c)—
      - (aa) for “7C” substitute “7B”; and
      - (bb) for “7E” substitute “7C”; and
  - (c) in paragraph (3), after “sub-paragraphs (2)(a) or (c) applies,” insert “unless the court orders otherwise”.
- (4) In rule 6.33(2B)—
- (a) at the end of sub-paragraph (a), omit “or”; and
  - (b) for the full stop at the end of sub-paragraph (b) substitute—
    - “; or
    - (c) the claim is in respect of a contract falling within sub-paragraph (b).”.
- (5) In rule 6.37(5)(b), for “may—” to the end substitute “may give directions about the method of service”.
- (6) For rule 6.38 substitute—

**“Service of documents other than the claim form – permission**

**6.38.** Any application notice issued or order made in any proceedings, or other document which is required to be served in the proceedings, may be served on a defendant out of the jurisdiction without permission where—

- (a) the claim form has been served on the defendant out of the jurisdiction with permission; or

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- (b) permission is or was not required to serve the claim form (whether within or out of the jurisdiction).”.