STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2023 No. 327

The Tribunal Procedure (Amendment) Rules 2023

Amendments to the Tribunal Procedure (Upper Tribunal) Rules 2008

- **5.**—(1) The Tribunal Procedure (Upper Tribunal) Rules 2008(1) are amended as follows.
- (2) In rule 13 (sending and delivery of documents)—
 - (a) in paragraph (1)—
 - (i) at the beginning insert "Subject to paragraph (1A),";
 - (ii) at the end of sub-paragraph (b) omit "or";
 - (iii) after sub-paragraph (b) insert—
 - "(ba) uploaded to the Upper Tribunal's secure portal; or";
 - (b) after paragraph (1) insert—
 - "(1A) A practice direction may specify for any document subject to paragraph (1)—
 - (a) the requirements that must be fulfilled for it to be uploaded to the Upper Tribunal's secure portal; and
 - (b) for any specified category of party in any specified category of case, that it must be so uploaded to the Upper Tribunal's secure portal.";
 - (c) in paragraph (2)—
 - (i) for "paragraph (3)" substitute "paragraphs (2A) and (3)";
 - (ii) after "them" insert "(including transmission through the Upper Tribunal's secure portal)";
 - (d) after paragraph (2) insert—
 - "(2A) A party is required to accept delivery of documents through the Upper Tribunal's secure portal only if the document is sent through that portal to that party by the Upper Tribunal.";
 - (e) in paragraph (4) after "communication" insert "(including transmission through the Upper Tribunal's secure portal)".

Commencement Information

II Rule 5 in force at 6.4.2023, see rule 1

Changes to legislation:There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Tribunal Procedure (Amendment) Rules 2023, Section 5.