

**ACT OF ADJOURNAL (CRIMINAL PROCEDURE RULES) 1996 SI 1996/513**

**SCHEDULE 2**

**CRIMINAL PROCEDURE RULES 1996**

***PART VI Evidence***

**CHAPTER 22 A WITNESS ANONYMITY ORDERS**

**Application for witness anonymity order**

22A.1. An application under section 271P of the Act of 1995(1) for a witness anonymity order shall be in Form 22A.1.

**Notice of application in summary proceedings**

22A.2. Notice for the purpose of section 271Q (2) of the Act of 1995 shall be in Form 22A.2.

**Discharge and variation of witness anonymity order**

22A.3. An application under section 271U (3)(a) of the Act of 1995 to discharge or vary a witness anonymity order shall be made—

- (a) by motion, at any hearing; or
- (b) in Form 22A.3, at any other time.

**Appeals**

22A.4. (1) Any appeal mentioned in section 271V of the Act of 1995 must be taken not later than seven days after the decision.

(2) The appeal shall thereafter be treated procedurally, so far as possible—

- (a) in solemn proceedings, as if it were an appeal under section 74(1) of the Act of 1995;
- (b) in summary proceedings, as if it were an appeal under section 174(1) of the Act of 1995.