

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

SCHEDULE 2

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE RULES 1996

PART VII Miscellaneous procedures

**CHAPTER 29A SERVICE OF BILLS OF ADVOCATION AND SUSPENSION
AND PETITIONS TO THE NOBILE OFFICIUM**

Service of bill or petition

29A.1.—(1) Where a first order for service is sought in relation to—

- (a) a bill of advocation;
- (b) a bill of suspension; or
- (c) a petition to the nobile officium,

the complainer or petitioner shall provide two copies of the bill or petition when presenting it to the Clerk of Justiciary for registration.

(2) Where a first order for service is granted, the Clerk of Justiciary shall provide the complainer or petitioner with a certified copy of—

- (a) the bill or petition; and
- (b) the interlocutor granting first order for service.

(3) The complainer or petitioner shall serve the certified copy of the bill or petition and interlocutor on the respondent.

(4) Where a bill or petition arises from proceedings in a lower court, the Clerk of Justiciary shall intimate a copy to that court.