



Supreme Court Rules (Amendment No 365) 2002

under the

Supreme Court Act 1970

The Supreme Court Rule Committee made the following rules of court under the *Supreme Court Act 1970* on 21 October 2002.

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Secretary of the Rule Committee

Explanatory note

Under Part 14B rule 7 of the *Supreme Court Rules 1970*, the Supreme Court may of its own motion dismiss proceedings entered in the Possession List if a defence to a claim for possession of land has not been filed within 5 months of the possession claim being entered. The object of these Rules is to enable a Registrar of the Supreme Court to exercise this power of the Court to dismiss proceedings entered in the Possession List.

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1 Name of Rules

These Rules are the *Supreme Court Rules (Amendment No 365) 2002*.

2 Amendment of Supreme Court Rules 1970

The *Supreme Court Rules 1970* are amended as set out in Schedule 1.

Schedule 1 Amendment

(Rule 2)

Schedule E

Insert after the matter relating to Part 14A in Part 1:

Part 14B—

Rule 7 (1)

Dismiss proceedings in
Possession List if defence
not filed