



# NOTICE

## Matrimonial Causes (Amendment) Rules, 2025

The amendment to the Matrimonial Causes Rules seeks to update the existing Rules including to make the **Supreme Court (Civil Procedure) Rules 2022** the default rules, in place of the now repealed Rules of the Supreme Court. The amendment came into effect on 1 July 2025.

The amendment also enables for a more simplified process in the hearing of undefended matrimonial causes in Rule 25(1)(e). Rules 25(1)(e) is supplemented by Practice Direction No. 1 of 2025.

The Matrimonial Causes (Amendment) Rules, along with Practice Direction No. 1 of 2025 can be downloaded from the link “Rules/Practice Directions.”