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COMMISSIONERS FOR JUSTICE ACT (CAP. 291)

Service of Notice by Mail (Amendment) Regulations, 2021

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by article 13 of the Commissioners for Justice Act, the Minister for Justice, Equality and Governance, with the concurrence of the Minister for Home Affairs, National Security and Law Enforcement, has made the following regulations:-

Citation.

S.L. 291. 03.

1. The title of these regulations is the Service of Notice by Mail (Amendment) Regulations, 2021 and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Service of Notice by Mail Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the "principal regulations".

Amends regulation 2 of the principal regulations.

2. In regulation 2 of the principal regulations immediately after the definition "scheduled offence" there shall be added the following definition:

" "working days" means the days of the week from Monday to Friday excluding public holidays.".

Amends regulation 3 of the principal regulations.

3. In sub-regulation (2) of regulation 3 of the principal regulations, the words "within two" shall be substituted by the words "within five (5) working days".

Renumbers regulation 5 of the principal regulations.

4. Regulation 5 of the principal regulations shall be renumbered as regulation 6.

Adds new regulation to the principal regulations.

5. Immediately after regulation 4 of the principal regulations there shall be added the following new regulation:

"5. Where a person is subscribed to the service of summons by electronic mail under the Service of Summons by Electronic Mail Regulations, the notice referred to in regulation 3 and in the proviso to article 14(2A) of the principal Act may be sent by electronic mail and the provisions of these regulations shall *mutatis mutandis* apply.".

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