

**THIRD SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR  
GAZETTE**

**No. 3,773 of 25th March, 2010**

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**B. 16/10**

**BILL**

**FOR**

**AN ACT** to amend the Court of Appeal Act.

**ENACTED** by the Legislature of Gibraltar.

**Title and commencement.**

1. This Act may be cited as the Court of Appeal (Amendment) Act 2010 and comes into operation on the day of publication.

**Amendment to the Court of Appeal Act.**

2.(1) The Court of Appeal Act is amended in accordance with this section.

(2) The Court of Appeal Act is amended by inserting the following section after section 22—

**“Appeal to Court of Appeal and to Her Majesty in Council.**

22A. For the purposes of section 66(1)(b) of the Constitution, an appeal shall lie from decisions of the Supreme Court to the Court of Appeal and thence to Her Majesty in Council as of right in respect of all final decisions in any civil proceedings where the matter in dispute on the appeal is of a value of £50,000 or upwards or where the appeal involves, directly or indirectly, a claim to or a question respecting property or a right of a value of £50,000 or upwards.”.

**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

This Bill amends the Court of Appeal Act so as to prescribe the minimum value of a claim in civil proceedings for the purposes of section 66(1)(b) of the Constitution whereby an appeal shall lie from the Supreme Court to the Court of Appeal and then to Her Majesty in Council.

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