Subsidiary 2011/118

Subsidiary Legislation made under s. 5(2).

## **NOTICE**

(LN. 2011/118)

Commencement

4.8.2011

Amending enactments

Relevant current provisions

Commencement date

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Minister with the responsibility for justice has, in consultation with the Chief Justice, specified pursuant to Section 5(2) of the Crimes (Vulnerable Witnesses) Act 2009 that, for the purposes of Part 2 of the Act, the following arrangements can be made or are available in the courts of Gibraltar.

## 1. As from the date hereof:

- a. The screening of witnesses pursuant to Section 10 of the Act.
- b. The exclusion of persons from Court during the giving of evidence pursuant to Section 12 of the Act.
- c. The removal of wigs and gowns pursuant to Section 13 of the Act (applies to the Supreme Court and Court of Appeal only).
- d. The examination of a witness through an intermediary pursuant to Section 16 of the Act.
- e. The giving of evidence with an aid to communication pursuant to Section 17 of the Act.

## 2. As from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2011:

- a. The giving of evidence by means of a live link pursuant to Section 11 of the Act.
- b. The video recording of evidence in chief, cross examination, or re-examination pursuant to Sections 14 and 15 of the Act.

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