SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 5138   GIBRALTAR   Thursday 28th March 2024

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 33 OF 2024

LEGAL AID AND ASSISTANCE ACT

LEGAL AID AND ASSISTANCE (AMENDMENT) RULES 2024

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 10 and 18 of the Legal Aid and Assistance Act the Chief Justice has made the following Rules-

Title.

1. These Rules may be cited as the Legal Aid and Assistance (Amendment) Rules 2024.

Commencement.

2. These Rules come into operation on the day of publication.

Amendment of the Legal Aid and Assistance Rules.

3.(1) The Legal Aid and Assistance Rules are amended as follows.

  (2) In rule 9-

    (a) in sub-rule (1) for "The Chief Justice, or the Judge of the Court of First Instance when proceedings are taken in the Court of First Instance" substitute "A judge of the Supreme Court or the Registrar, in relation to proceedings before them, or the Chief Justice in relation to any proceedings,"; and

    (b) in sub-rule (2) for "the Chief Justice, or to the Judge of the Court of First Instance" with "a judge of the Supreme Court or the Registrar".

  (3) In rule 16(3) for "in writing to the Chief Justice" substitute "to a judge of the Supreme Court by letter through the Registrar".

  (4) In Schedule 1-

    (a) in Form B-

      (i)   omit "BY THE CHIEF JUSTICE" from the title,

      (ii)   for "Being" substitute "Mr(s) Justice [ ], Chief Justice / Puisne Judge, being",

(iii)   after "committed" add "and/or sent",

(iv)   for "I do hereby grant in respect of him" substitute "is hereby granted", and

(v)   for "Chief Justice" substitute "Registrar".

(b)   in Form F-

(i)   omit "BY THE CHIEF JUSTICE" from the title,

(ii)   for "Being" substitute "Mr(s) Justice [ ], Chief Justice / Puisne Judge, being",

(iii)   for "do hereby grant in respect of him" substitute "is hereby granted", and

(iv)   for "Chief Justice" substitute "Registrar".

Dated: 28th March 2024.

<div align="right">A E DUDLEY,
Chief Justice.</div>