

**86. Jurisdiction of Court**

- (1) Subject to this Act, the Court has jurisdiction to hear and determine appeals under sections 90 and 96K.
- (2) In the exercise of its jurisdiction under this Act the Court may make such orders as it thinks just as to the costs and expenses (including the expenses of witnesses) of proceedings before the Court, including proceedings dismissed for want of jurisdiction, but costs shall not be given to any party to the proceedings for the services of any legal practitioner or agent of that party unless, in the opinion of the Court, the proceedings have been frivolously or vexatiously instituted or defended, as the case requires, by the other party.

*[Section 86 amended by No. 15 of 1993 s. 27.]*