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Adoption Act 1994

Adoption Amendment Rules 2002

Made by the Judges of the Family Court of Western Australia under section 142 of the Act.

1. Citation

These rules may be cited as the *Adoption Amendment Rules* 2002.

2. Commencement

These rules come into operation on the same day as Part 3 of the *Acts Amendment (Lesbian and Gay Law Reform) Act 2002* comes into operation.

3. The rules amended

The amendments in these rules are to the Adoption Rules 1995*.

[* Published 19 January 1995, p. 179-99. For amendments to 20 August 2002 see 2001 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 4, p. 8.]

4. Rule 9 amended

Rule 9 is amended in the Table in the item commencing "section 25(1)" by deleting "21(1)" and inserting instead —

" (1) ".

5. Schedule 1 amended

Schedule 1 Form 4B is amended by deleting "name of the pre-adoptive father and the full name and maiden name of the pre-adoptive mother" and inserting instead —

names of the pre-adoptive parents and any other names by which either parent is, or was previously, known Dated: 12th day of September 2002.

Signed:

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