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District Court of Western Australia Act 1969

District Court Amendment Rules 2022

SL 2022/108

Made by the judges of the District Court.

1. Citation

These rules are the District Court Amendment Rules 2022.

2. Commencement

- (a) rules 1 and 2 on the day on which these rules are published in the *Gazette*;
- (b) the rest of the rules on the day on which the *Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2022* section 6 comes into operation.

3. Rules amended

These rules amend the District Court Rules 2005.

4. Rule 3 amended

- (1) In rule 3 delete the definition of *lawyer*.
- (2) In rule 3 in the definition of *legally qualified registrar* delete "an Australian lawyer within the meaning of that term in the *Legal Profession Act 2008* section 3;" and insert:

a lawyer;

5. Rule 59 amended

In rule 59(2) delete "*Legal Profession Act 2008* section 280." and insert:

Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2022 section 141.

6. Various references to "lawyer" amended

In the provisions listed in the Table:

(a) delete "lawyer" (each occurrence) and insert:

legal practitioner

(b) delete "lawyer" (each occurrence) and insert:

legal practitioner

(c) delete "lawyers" (each occurrence) and insert:

legal practitioners

(d) delete "lawyers" and insert:

legal practitioners

(e) delete "lawyer's" and insert:

legal practitioner's

Table	
r. 20(1A) and (1B)	r. 21A Table it. 2
r. 24(2)(n) and (o)	r. 34(1)
r. 36(1) and (2)	r. 38B(3)
r. 40(6)(a)	r. 41(3)(a)
r. 43(2), (3) and (3a)	r. 48A(3)
r. 48B(1) and (2)	r. 51(2)
r. 58A(2)(a)	r. 71(1A)(b)
r. 72(2)(b)	Sch. 1 Forms 1AA, 1B, 1C, 1, 3 and 4 to 11

Note: The heading to amended rule 36 is to read:

Legal practitioner to notify client of legal costs

Date: 22 June 2022. Her Honour Judge JULIE ANNE WAGER, Chief Judge of the District Court, District Court of Western Australia.