1971 No. 1714 (S.183)

COURT OF SESSION, SCOTLAND

Act of Sederunt (Rules of Court Amendment No. 8) 1971

Made - - - 21*st October* 1971

Coming into Operation 22*nd November* 1971

The Lords of Council and Session, under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon them by section 16 of the Administration of Justice (Scotland) Act 1933(**a**) and section 18 of the Solicitors (Scotland) Act 1933(*b*) and of all other powers competent to them in that behalf, do hereby enact and declare as follows:

1. The Rules of Court (**c**) shall be amended as follows:

(1) By deleting paragraph (a) of Rule 2 and by substituting a new paragraph (*a*) of Rule 2 as follows:

"(a) All petitions under sections 14 and 15 of the Solicitors (Scotland) Act 1933(**b**) (in this section referred to as 'the Act of 1933') shall be presented to the Court by the clerk to the examiners appointed by the Council of the Law Society of Scotland (in this section referred to as 'the Council'), and there shall be payable to the said clerk by any applicant the following fees:

(i) For the preparation of and carrying through the petition under section 14 of the Act of 1933, including obtaining the interlocutor of admission, extract thereof and certificate of enrolment, where the applicant holds the certificate of the Council — £7·50.

(ii) For obtaining the interlocutor of admission of an applicant under section 15 of the Act of 1933, including extract thereof and certificate of enrolment — £5·50."

(2) By deleting paragraph (*a*) of Rule 3 and by substituting a new paragraph (*a*) of Rule 3 as follows:

"(*a*) A register shall be kept by the Registrar of Solicitors under the Solicitors' (Scotland) Acts 1933 to1958 for the registration and enrolment of persons admitted as solicitors; and there shall be payable to the said Registrar for each enrolment in the Register of Solicitors and granting certificate of such enrolment a fee of £4·50."

2. This Act of Sederunt may be cited as the Act of Sederunt (Rules of Court Amendment No. 8) 1971, and shall come into operation on 22nd November 1971.

And the Lords appoint this Act of Sederunt to be inserted in the Books of Sederunt.

Edinburgh, 21st October 1971.

J. L. Clyde, I.P.D.

(**a**) 1933 c. 41. (**b**) 1933 c. 21. (**c**) S.I. 1965/321 (1965 I, p. 803).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Act of Sederunt.)

This Act of Sederunt amends the Rules of Court by prescribing new fees in respect of the admission, registration and enrolment of solicitors.