STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1971 No. 1984 (L.47)

COUNTY COURTS

The County Courts (Admiralty Jurisdiction) (Amendment) Order 1971

Made - - - 3rd *December* 1971

Coming into Operation 1st *January* 1972

The Lord Chancellor. in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 55 of the County Courts Act 1959(a), hereby makes the following Order :—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the County Courts (Admiralty Jurisdiction) (Amendment) Order 1971 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1972.

(2) In this Order "the principal Order" means the County Courts (Admiralty Jurisdiction) Order 1971(b).

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. In column 1 of the Schedule to the principal Order, the reference to the Mayor's and City of London Court shall stand as a reference to the county court for the district of the City of London as constituted by section 42(2) of the Courts Act 1971(d).

Dated 3rd December 1971.

Hailsham of St. Marylebone, C.

(a) 1959 c. 22.
(b) S.I. 1971/1152 (1971 II, p. 3389).
(c) 1889 c. 63.
(d) 1971 c. 23.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order provides for the county court for the district of the City of London, which will be known as the Mayor's and City of London Court by virtue of section 42(3) of the Courts Act 1971, to exercise Admiralty jurisdiction in the place of the court of the same name which is abolished by section 42(1) of that Act.