(5) The following Rule shall be substituted for Rule 13:—

"13.—(1) Every Juvenile Court shall consist of not more than three justices selected as provided in the next following Rule from the Juvenile Court panel for the area for which the Court acts and shall, subject to the following provisions of this Rule, include at least one man and one woman.

(2) If at any sitting of a Juvenile Court the only man or the only woman selected to sit in the Court—

(*a*) is not available by reason of circumstances unforeseen when the justices to sit were selected, or

(*b*) cannot properly sit as a member of that Court,

then, if the remaining justices selected to sit in the Court think it inexpedient in the interests of justice that there should be an adjournment, the Court may be constituted without the said man, or, as the case may be, the said woman.

(3) Nothing in paragraph (1) of this Rule shall be construed as requiring a Juvenile Court to include both a man and a woman in any case in which a single justice has by law jurisdiction to act".

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Rules, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)*

These Rules provide that a Juvenile Court shall include both a man and a woman except in circumstances mentioned in Rule 13 (2). Amendments to the principal Rules of 1933 have been made to allow for additional justices to be appointed to the Juvenile Court panel when found to be necessary.

# 1955 No. 873

# The Juvenile Courts (London) Order, 1955

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| *Made* - - - - | 21*st June*, 1955 |
| *Coming into Operation* | 4*th July*, 1955 |

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 21st day of June, 1955

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by paragraph 2 of the Second Schedule to the Children and Young Persons Act, 1933(**a**) (hereinafter called "the Act of 1933"), as amended by section seven of the Children and Young Persons Act, 1938(**b**), it is provided that Her Majesty may by Order in Council specify as respects the metropolitan police court area the places (which, notwithstanding anything in the Metropolitan Police Courts Acts, 1839 and 1840(**c**), may be places other than police courts) in which juvenile courts are to sit, and assign as a division to each such place such portion of that area as may be specified in the Order, and direct for the purposes of the constitution of a juvenile court in that area the manner in which the justices of the peace for the county of London shall be selected from a panel of such justices nominated from time to time by the Secretary of State:

And Whereas by the Act of 1933 it is further provided that any such Order in Council may contain such supplemental, incidental and consequential provisions as appear to Her Majesty in Council to be necessary or proper for the purposes of the Order and may be revoked or varied by a subsequent Order:

(**a**) 23 & 24 Geo. 5. c. 12. (**b**) 1 & 2 Geo. 6. c. 40. (**c**) 2 & 3 Vict. c. 71 and 3 & 4 Vict. c. 84.

And Whereas by subsection (5) of section eleven of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1949(a), it is provided that the metropolitan police magistrates and other justices for the county of London may exercise, in relation to the City of London, any jurisdiction which may be exercised by a juvenile court as if the City were included in the county of London, and by subsection (6) of the said section eleven it is provided that references in the Second Schedule to the Act of 1933 to the metropolitan police court area shall include the City:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the powers vested in Her by paragraph 2 of the Second Schedule to the Act of 1933, as amended and extended as aforesaid, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

**1.** Juvenile courts for the metropolitan police court area shall sit in the places specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto and there shall be assigned to each place as a division that portion of the said area which is specified, opposite to that place, in the second column of that Schedule.

**2.** A juvenile court sitting in a place specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall be held in every week on the day and at the time specified, opposite to that place, in the third column of that Schedule and on such other days and at such other times as may be necessary for the transaction of business:

Provided that a juvenile court sitting as aforesaid which would, in pursuance of the foregoing provisions of this Article, be held on a day when the metropolitan police courts are closed shall not be held on that day but shall—

(i) if that day is a Monday, be held on the succeeding day, and

(ii) in any other case, be held on the preceding day,

and if on any particular occasion the Secretary of State so directs, a juvenile court sitting as aforesaid shall, instead of being held on the day and at the time on which it would be held in pursuance of the foregoing provisions of this Article, be held on such a day and at such a time as may be specified in the direction.

**3.** A juvenile court may sit at any time, in case of need, in a magistrate's room at Bow Street Police Court for the purpose of hearing cases arising in any part of the metropolitan police court area.

**4.** The justices of the peace for the county of London who are to sit at the several sittings of the juvenile courts shall be selected by the panel of justices nominated by the Secretary of State and by the metropolitan police magistrates nominated by the Secretary of State to act as chairmen of juvenile courts within the metropolitan police court area.

**5.** Any reference in the foregoing Articles in this Order (but not in the Schedule thereto) to the metropolitan police court area shall include the City of London.

**6.** The Juvenile Courts (London) (No. 2) Order, 1952(b), the Juvenile Courts (London) Order, 1953(c), and the Juvenile Courts (London) (No. 2) Order, 1953(d), are hereby revoked.

**7.** This Order may be cited as the Juvenile Courts (London) Order, 1955, and shall come into operation on the fourth day of July, 1955.

*W. G. Agnew.*

(a) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 101.
(b) S.I. 1952/1421 (1952 I, p. 1244).
(c) S.I. 1953/584 (1953 I, p. 925).
(d) S.I. 1953/880.

SCHEDULE

| Place | Division | Day and Time |
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| East London Juvenile Court, 79A, Bishop's Way, Bethnal Green, E.2. | The divisions of the metropolitan police court area for the time being assigned to the Old Street and Thames Police Courts, together with the City of London. | Monday, 10 a.m. |
| Friends House Juvenile Court, Friends House, Euston Road, N.W.1. | The divisions of the metropolitan police court area for the time being assigned to the Clerkenwell and North London Police Courts. | Tuesday, 10 a.m. |
| South-West London Juvenile Court, Anchor Mission, 273, Garratt Lane, Wandsworth, S.W.18. | The division of the metropolitan police court area for the time being assigned to the South-Western Police Court. | Tuesday, 10 a.m. |
| Chelsea Juvenile Court, Walton Street, S.W.3. | The divisions of the metropolitan police court area for the time being assigned to the Bow Street and Marlborough Street Police Courts, together with that part of the division of the said area for the time being assigned to the West London Police Court which is excluded from the division assigned by this Order to Stamford House Juvenile Court, Stamford House, 206A, Goldhawk Road, Shepherds Bush, W.12. | Wednesday, 10 a.m. |
| South-East London Juvenile Court, Tower Bridge Police Court, Tooley Street, S.E.1. | The divisions of the metropolitan police court area for the time being assigned to the Tower Bridge, Greenwich and Woolwich Police Courts. | Thursday, 10 a.m. |
| Stamford House Juvenile Court, Stamford House, 206A, Goldhawk Road, Shepherds Bush, W.12. | The division of the metropolitan police court area for the time being assigned to the Marylebone Police Court and the division of the said area for the time being assigned to the West London Police Court excluding the part of that division included within the following boundary, that is to say, from the point in the middle of the River Thames on the boundary of the county of London where the boundary between the metropolitan boroughs of Fulham and Hammersmith meets the said county boundary, eastward, northward and eastward along the boundary of the said metropolitan borough of Fulham to the point in the middle of Hammersmith Road at its junction with Addison Bridge Place; thence eastward along the middle of Kensington High Street and of Kensington Road and of | Thursday, 10 a.m. |

| Place | Division | Day and Time |
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| Stamford House Juvenile Court, Stamford House, 206A, Goldhawk Road, Shepherds Bush, W.12—*continued.* | Knightsbridge to Sloane Street; thence southward along the middle of Sloane Street to Sloane Square; thence southward across Sloane Square to a point in the middle of the roadway on the south of Sloane Square opposite the middle of Lower Sloane Street; thence southward and south-eastward along the middle of Lower Sloane Street and of Chelsea Bridge Road and thence southward along the middle of the roadway of Chelsea Bridge to the middle of the River Thames; and thence westward, southward, westward and northward up the middle of the River Thames to the aforementioned point on the boundary of the county of London. | |
| Lambeth Juvenile Court, Lambeth Town Hall, Brixton Hill, S.W.2. | The division of the metropolitan police court area for the time being assigned to the Lambeth Police Court. | Friday, 10 a.m. |

# LANCASTER

## COURT OF CHANCERY

## 1955 No. 1348 (L. 10)

## The Chancery of Lancaster Rules, 1955

*Made* - - - - 14*th August*, 1955
*Laid before Parliament* 30*th August*, 1955
*Coming into Operation* 1*st September*, 1955

The Right Honourable Viscount Woolton, C.H., Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster with the advice and consent of Sir Leonard Stone, O.B.E., Vice Chancellor of the said County Palatine of Lancaster, and with the approval of the authority empowered to make rules for the Supreme Court and in pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by the Chancery of Lancaster Acts 1850 to 1952(**a**) and all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf doth hereby order and direct as follows:—

**1.** Rule 5 of Order VIII (which was added by the Chancery of Lancaster Rules (No. 2), 1938(**b**) and provides for the removal of a solicitor from the record at the instance of another party) shall be amended by inserting after the words "or has been struck off the Roll of Solicitors" the words "or has been suspended from practising or has for any other reason ceased to practise".

(**a**) 13 & 14 Vict. c. 43; 17 & 18 Vict. c. 82; 53 & 54 Vict. c. 23; 15 & 16 Geo. 6 & 1 Eliz. 2. c. 49.
(**b**) S.R. & O. 1938/1396 (1938 I, p. 1621).