STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 709 (C.13)

LEGAL AID AND ADVICE, ENGLAND

The Legal Aid Act 1974 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1974

Made - - - *8th April* 1974

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 43(4)(*c*) of the Legal Aid Act 1974(**a**), hereby makes the following Order:—

1.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889(**b**) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) This Order may be cited as the Legal Aid Act 1974 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1974.

2. Paragraph 3(*e*) of Part I of Schedule 1 to the Legal Aid Act 1974 shall come into operation on 8th May 1974.

Dated 8th April 1974.

Elwyn-Jones, C.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order brings into operation on 8th May 1974 paragraph 3(*e*) of Part I of Schedule 1 to the Legal Aid Act 1974, which makes legal aid available in connection with proceedings under Part I of the Maintenance Orders (Reciprocal Enforcement) Act 1972 (c.18) relating to a maintenance order made by a court of a country outside the United Kingdom.

(**a**) 1974 c. 4.

(**b**) 1889 c. 63.

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