STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1961 No. 554 (C. 4)

LEGAL AID AND ADVICE, ENGLAND

The Legal Aid and Advice Act, 1949 (Commencement No. 10) Order, 1961

Made - - - - 23*rd March,* 1961

Whereas it is provided by subsection (2) of section 17 of the Legal Aid and Advice Act, 1949(a), that Part I of the said Act shall come into force on such day as the Lord Chancellor may by statutory instrument appoint, and that different days may be appointed for different purposes:

Now, therefore, I, David Viscount Kilmuir, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, in pursuance of the said provision, hereby make the following Order:—

1. The provisions of Part I of the said Act shall come into force on the eighth day of May, 1961, for the purpose of making legal aid available in connection with the following proceedings in any court of summary jurisdiction and in any court of quarter sessions, namely—

(*a*) proceedings for or relating to an affiliation order within the meaning of the Affiliation Proceedings Act, 1957(b), or an order under the Matrimonial Proceedings (Magistrates' Courts) Act, 1960(c);

(*b*) proceedings under the Guardianship of Infants Acts, 1886 and 1925;

(*c*) proceedings under the Small Tenements Recovery Act, 1838(d).

2. This Order may be cited as the Legal Aid and Advice Act, 1949 (Commencement No. 10) Order, 1961.

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

Dated this twenty-third day of March, 1961.

Kilmuir, C.

(a) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 51. (b) 5 & 6 Eliz. 2 c. 55. (c) 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. 48.
(d) 1 & 2 Vict. c. 74. (e) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.