

TABLING NOTE FOR SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION

SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION NO. 35 OF 2016

SUPREME COURT AMENDMENT RULES 2016

Purpose

The Supreme Court Amendment Rules 2016 provide for the amendment of the Supreme Court Rules. They make minor amendments and rationalise provisions to accord with the new *Local Court Act*.

Summary of key provisions

- Minor drafting amendments to accord with the new *Local Court Act*.
- References throughout the rules to "Magistrate," "Court of Summary Jurisdiction," "*Justices Act*," "*Local Court Act*" are amended to "Local Court Judge," "Local Court," "*Local Court (Criminal Procedure) Act*" and "*Local Court (Civil Procedure) Act*".

Legislative Authority

Section 86 of the *Supreme Court Act*.