LEGAL NOTICE NO. 129

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE ACT, CHAP. 4:01

RULES

MADE BY THE RULES COMMITTEE UNDER SECTION 78 OF THE SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE ACT AND SUBJECT TO NEGATIVE RESOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT

THE CIVIL PROCEEDINGS (AMENDMENT) RULES, 2019

1. These Rules may be cited as the Civil Proceedings (Amendment) Rules, 2019.   Citation

2. In these Rules, "the Rules" means the Civil Proceedings Rules, 1998.   Interpretation

3. Part 64 of the Rules is amended—   Part 64 amended

(a) in Rule 64.8 by revoking paragraph *(b)* and substituting the following paragraph:

> "*(b)* if any appeal is from the High Court, arrange for the court below to prepare a copy of the audio digital recording of the evidence and of the judge's reasons for giving the judgment and when prepared forthwith give notice to all parties of its availability on payment of the prescribed fee;"; and

(b) by inserting after Rule 64.8 the following new Rule:

"Action by parties to an appeal

64.8A (1) Upon receipt of the notice of availability of the audio digital recording of the evidence the appellant shall prepare a transcript of the evidence for the purpose of the appeal and serve same on all other parties to the appeal.

(2) The transcript so prepared shall, in the absence of disagreement as to accuracy by any other party to the appeal, stand as an accurate transcript of the evidence;

(3) Where a party to the appeal disagrees with the accuracy of any part of the transcript relevant to the issues in the appeal, that party must apply to the High Court to amend that part of the transcript no later than 10 days prior to the date set at Part 64.12 for the filing of the record of appeal.”; and

(c) in Rule 64.12 by deleting the word “28” and substituting the word “56”.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 2019.

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