



THE CHANCELLOR
OF THE HIGH COURT

THE RT. HON. SIR JULIAN FLAUX

PRACTICE NOTE

THE CHANCERY GUIDE 2022

1. The new Chancery Guide is being published on 29 July 2022. The Guide will be available online with hyperlinks. It has been substantially rewritten and revised compared with previous versions of the Chancery Guide and so merits careful reading by judges and practitioners alike.
2. The new Chancery Guide seeks so far as possible to bring the practice in the Chancery Division into line with the practice in the other Business and Property Courts. The new Chancery Guide also applies in the District Registries out of London, save where local guidance is necessary.
3. Apart from the Practice Notes and Directions listed in the Schedule attached to this Practice Note, all other Chancery Division Practice Notes and Directions are revoked, on the basis that so far as relevant they are otherwise incorporated in the new Chancery Guide.

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Chancellor of the High Court

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Schedule

The following Practice Notes and Directions will remain in force:

1. PN: Variation of Trusts 9 February 2017
[Practice Note: Variation of Trusts dated 9 February 2017](#)
2. PN: Disclosure PD51U Applicability to Part 8 27 March 2019
[Disclosure Pilot Practice Note \(51UPN.1\)](#)
3. PN: Disclosure PD51U Applicability in the ICC February 2019
[Chief ICC Judge's Practice Note.](#)
4. PN: Witnesses Giving evidence remotely 11 May 2021
[Practice Note: Giving Evidence Remotely](#)
5. PN: Companies Court : Unfair Prejudice Petition Directions 1 May 2015
6. PN : Companies Court: Company Restoration 12 November 2012

See Appendix D of the [Company Restoration Guide](#)
7. Practice Statement: Patents Court trial listing
[Practice Statement: Listing of Cases for Trial in the Patents Court](#) 10 December 2015
8. PN: Business and Property Courts in Manchester and Leeds (in person hearing of Friday applications) 26 May 2022
<https://www.judiciary.uk/announcements/practice-note-business-and-property-courts-in-manchester-and-leeds/>