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**THE JUDICATURE (RULES OF COURT) ACT**

THE SUPREME COURT (CIVIL PROCEDURE) (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2)  
RULES, 2024

In exercise of the power conferred upon the Rules Committee of the Supreme Court by section 4 of the Judicature (Rules of Court) Act, and of every other power hereunto enabling, the following Rules are hereby made:—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Supreme Court (Civil Procedure) (Amendment) (No. 2) Rules, 2024, and shall be read and construed as one with the Civil Procedure Rules, 2002, (hereinafter referred to as the “principal Rules”) and all other amendments thereto.

2. The principal Rules are amended by deleting rule 3.3 and substituting therefor the following—

“3.3 There are three terms in each year as follows—

- (a) the Michaelmas Term, commencing on the 16th September, except where the 16th September falls on a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday, then

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the term shall start on the following business day, and ending on the 20th December, except where the 20th December falls on a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday, then the term shall end on the business day immediately preceding the 20th December;

- (b) the Hilary Term, commencing on the 7th January, except where the 7th January falls on a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday, then the term shall start on the following business day, and ending on the Friday before Good Friday; and
- (c) the Easter Term, commencing on the Monday after Easter Monday and ending on the 31st July, except where the 31st July falls on a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday, then the term shall end on the business day immediately preceding the 31st July.”.

Dated this 1st day of November, 2024.

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