

## **Practice Note 22 January 2024**

Lord Reed, as President of the Supreme Court and Chairman of the Judicial Committee, has issued the following practice note in respect of the United Kingdom Supreme Court (UKSC) and Judicial Committee of the Privy Council (JCPC).

The UKSC and JCPC have made changes to their respective Practice Directions to reflect current practice. Substantive changes are made in the following:

- UKSC and JCPC Practice Direction 3: Applications for permission to appeal;
- JCPC Practice Direction 4: Notice of Appeal;
- UKSC and JCPC Practice Direction 6: The appeal hearing; and
- UKSC and JCPC Practice Direction 7: Applications, documents, forms and orders

Consequential textual amendments are made throughout the remaining Practice Directions.

The amended Practice Directions appear on the UKSC and JCPC websites, with the amendments indicated in track changes.

The changes to the Practice Directions take effect from 22 January 2024, although they reflect the existing practice of the UKSC and the JCPC.

The UKSC Practice Directions can be found here:

<https://www.supremecourt.uk/procedures/practice-directions.html>

The JCPC Practice Directions can be found here:

<https://www.jcpc.uk/procedures/practice-directions.html>

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