

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 24

TRANSITIONAL AND TRANSITORY PROVISIONS AND SAVINGS

Designation orders under Schedule 4 to the 1998 Act

- 20 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the repeals made by section 207 do not affect—
- (a) the operation of Schedule 4 to the 1998 Act in relation to any application for designation of a professional rule which is made before the commencement date;
 - (b) the operation of section 3(1)(d) of and Schedule 4 to the 1998 Act in relation to any designation effected by an order made before the commencement date or on an application mentioned in paragraph (a).
- (2) No designation order (whenever made) shall have any effect in relation to any period of time after the end of the transitional period.
- (3) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) a designation order may be made after the end of the transitional period on an application mentioned in sub-paragraph (1)(a).
- (4) For the purposes of this paragraph—
- “commencement date” means the day on which section 207 comes into force;
 - “designation” means designation under paragraph 2 of Schedule 4 to the 1998 Act; and
 - “the transitional period” means the period of three months beginning with the commencement date.