
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1987 No. 2024

The Non-Contentious Probate Rules 1987

Standing searches

43.—(1) Any person who wishes to be notified of the issue of a grant may enter a standing search for the grant by lodging with the Senior Registrar, or sending to him by post, a notice in Form 2.

(2) A person who has entered a standing search will be sent an office copy of any grant which corresponds with the particulars given on the completed Form 2 and which—

- (a) issued not more than twelve months before the entry of the standing search; or
 - (b) issues within a period of six months after the entry of the standing search.
- (a) (3) (a) Where an applicant wishes to extend the said period of six months, he or his solicitor may lodge at, or send by post to, the Principal Registry written application for extension.
- (b) An application for extension as aforesaid must be lodged, or received by post, within the last month of the said period of six months, and the standing search shall thereupon be effective for an additional period of six months from the date on which it was due to expire.
 - (c) A standing search which has been extended as above may be further extended by the filing of a further application for extension subject to the same conditions as set out in subparagraph (b) above.