



NOTICE TO THE PROFESSION

June 2016 Housekeeping Updates

In June 2016, Convocation approved several housekeeping and other minor amendments to the Law Society Tribunal Rules of Practice and Procedure. In addition to simplifying language in Rule 13 of the Hearing Division Rules and removing a reference to the Consent Resolution Conference in the Appeal Division rules, the following changes are of note:

Endorsements

Formerly, directions given to the parties by the panel outside of the hearing were sent as correspondence and thus did not form part of the public record. Now, all directions will be given by endorsement and treated the same as directions given at the hearing.

Rule 13 - Motions

Rule 13 has been changed to provide that all motions should be brought by notice of motion unless the nature of the motion or the circumstances make a notice of motion unnecessary.

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