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We, the undersigned Judges of the Supreme Court of the Northern Territory of Australia, under section 86 of the *Supreme Court Act*, make the following Rules of Court.

Dated 9 November 2010

T. J. RILEY CJ

D. MILDREN J

S. R. SOUTHWOOD J

J. KELLY J

P. BARR J

Judges of the Supreme Court of the Northern Territory of Australia

* Notified in the Northern Territory Government Gazette on 15 December 2010.

1 Citation

These Rules may be cited as the *Supreme Court Amendment* (Authority of Master) Rules 2010.

2 Rules amended

These Rules amend the Supreme Court Rules.

3 Rule 32.08 amended

Rule 32.08(3)

omit

4 Rule 53.07 replaced

Rule 53.07

repeal, insert

53.07 Judgment for possession

In a proceeding under this Order, a judgment for possession must be in Form 53A.

5 Rule 53.08 amended

Rule 53.08(1)

omit, insert

- (1) In relation to a proceeding under this Order, a person may issue a warrant of possession to enforce a judgment for possession only if:
 - (a) 3 months have elapsed since the judgment for possession took effect; and
 - (b) the leave of the Court has been obtained.

6 Rule 77.01 amended

(1) Rule 77.01, heading

omit, insert

77.01 Authority in civil proceedings

(2) Rule 77.01(1)

omit

may:

insert

may do any of the following:

(3) Rule 77.01(1)(h)

omit

land; and

insert

land;

(4) After rule 77.01(1)(j)

insert

- (k) exercise the jurisdiction of the Court under the *Family Law Act 1975* (Cth).
- (5) After rule 77.01(2)

insert

(3) Subject to these Rules, the Master may hear and determine all interlocutory matters including an application for an interim or interlocutory injunction.

7 Rule 77.02 amended

(1) Rule 77.02(4)

omit

The

insert

Subject to these Rules, the

(2) Rule 77.02(4)(a), (b), (c) and (g)

omit

(3) Rule 77.02(4)(n)

omit, insert

- (n) an application under any of the following Acts:
 - (i) the Criminal Property Forfeiture Act,
 - (ii) the Serious Crime Control Act,
 - (iii) the Vexatious Proceedings Act.

8 Rule 77.04 amended

(1) Rule 77.04(1)

omit

Where

insert

Subject to subrules (5) and (6), if

(2) After rule 77.04(4)

insert

- (5) If it is reasonably practicable to do so, the Master must consult a Judge before hearing an interlocutory matter in a proceeding that:
 - (a) is being case flow managed by a Judge; or
 - (b) in the opinion of the Master, is proper for the determination of a Judge as mentioned in subrule (1).
- (6) The Master must refer an application for a Mareva Order or Anton Pillar Order to a Judge under subrule (1) unless there are exceptional circumstances why the Master should hear and determine the application.

9 Rule 81A.02A inserted

After rule 81A.02

insert

81A.02A Authority of Master in criminal proceedings

- (1) Subject to these Rules, the Master may exercise the powers and authority of the Court:
 - (a) in relation to a matter on an arraignment day as mentioned in rule 81A.14; and
 - (b) under the Bail Act.