

Serial Number 102/1937.

**THE SUPREME COURT (OFFICE HOURS) RULES, 1936.**

Enacting authority : His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

Date on which the regulations were made : 23rd day of December, 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette* : 8th day of January, 1937.

In pursuance of section 3 of the Judicature Amendment Act, 1930, His Excellency the Governor-General, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council and with the concurrence of the Right Honourable the Chief Justice and five of the other members of the Rules Committee constituted under the Judicature Amendment Act, 1930 (three of such other members being Judges of the Supreme Court), doth hereby make the following rules.

R U L E S.

1. These rules may be cited as the Supreme Court (Office Hours) Rules, 1936.

2. The rules made by the Judges of the Supreme Court on the 16th day of July, 1908,* are hereby revoked.

3. The Code of Civil Procedure set forth in the Second Schedule to the Judicature Act, 1908, is hereby amended as follows :—

- (a) By inserting in Rule 590 between the word "proceeding" and the word "Sunday" the word "Saturday".
- (b) By revoking the words "Vacation and Holidays" at the head of Rule 600, and inserting in their place the words "Vacation, Holidays, and Office Hours".
- (c) By inserting in Rule 601 immediately preceding the words "Court holiday" in clause (c) thereof the words "Saturday or".
- (d) By inserting therein, following Rule 602, the following additional rule :—

"602A. The several offices of the Court shall be open daily except on Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, and except also as hereafter mentioned, from 10 o'clock in the forenoon to 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

"During vacation the offices shall close at 1 o'clock in the afternoon."

* *Gazette*, 30th July, 1908, Vol. II, page 2050.

4. The form No. 2 in the First Schedule to the said Code is amended—

- (a) By revoking the words “ a Sunday or a holiday ” in the second paragraph of the endorsements therein set out, and substituting the words “ a Saturday, a Sunday, or a holiday ”.
- (b) By revoking the words “ such Sunday or holiday ” in the same second paragraph, and substituting the words “ such Saturday, Sunday, or holiday ”.
- (c) By revoking the words “ Sundays and public holidays ” in the eighth paragraph of the said endorsements, and substituting the words “ Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays ”.

5. Notwithstanding the last preceding clause hereof, it shall be sufficient in any writ of summons issued before the 20th day of January, 1937, if the endorsements of the said form No. 2 are set out in the form heretofore prescribed.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act, 1936.
These regulations are administered by the Department of Justice.