

Supreme Court Act 1935

## **Supreme Court Amendment Rules (No. 2) 2018**

Made by the judges of the Supreme Court.

**1. Citation**

These rules are the *Supreme Court Amendment Rules (No. 2) 2018*.

**2. Commencement**

These rules come into operation as follows —

- (a) rules 1 and 2 — on the day on which these rules are published in the *Gazette*;
- (b) the rest of the rules — on the day after that day.

**3. Rules amended**

These rules amend the *Rules of the Supreme Court 1971*.

**4. Order 66 amended**

Delete Order 66 rule 51 and insert:

**51. When Court may fix costs**

- (1) In a particular action or matter the Court may, instead of making an order for taxation of costs —
  - (a) make an order fixing the costs of a party to the action or matter in accordance with this Order;  
or
  - (b) make an order under the *Legal Profession Act 2008* section 280(2).
- (2) The Court may make an order under subrule (1) on its own motion or on an application by a party.
- (3) A party seeking an order under subrule (1)(b) must apply for the order within —
  - (a) 30 days after the date of the relevant judgment;  
or
  - (b) another time fixed by the Court.

The Hon. Chief Justice WAYNE MARTIN AC,  
Chief Justice of Western Australia,  
Supreme Court of Western Australia.

Date: 26 June 2018.