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SUBORDINATE COURTS RULES (AMENDMENT) ACT 2020

An Act to amend the Subordinate Courts Rules Act 1955.

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ENACTED by the Parliament of Malaysia as follows:

Short title and commencement

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Subordinate Courts Rules (Amendment) Act 2020.

(2) This Act comes into operation on a date to be appointed by the Minister by notification in the *Gazette*.

Amendment of section 2

2. The Subordinate Courts Rules Act 1955 [*Act 55*], which is referred to as the “principal Act” in this Act, is amended in section 2 by inserting after the definition of “proceeding” the following definition:

‘ “remote communication technology” means a live video link, a live television link or any other electronic means of communication;’.

Amendment of section 3

3. Subsection 3(2) of the principal Act is amended by substituting for paragraph (f) the following paragraph:

“(f) the Chief Registrar of the Federal Court;”.

Amendment of section 4

4. Section 4 of the principal Act is amended by inserting after paragraph (a) the following paragraph:

“(aa) for regulating and prescribing the procedure and the practice to be followed in Subordinate Courts in all causes and matters whatsoever in or with respect to the hearing of any matter or proceeding through a remote communication technology;”.