

**L.N. 40 of 2021**

**Admission and Registration (Amendment) Rules 2021**

(Made by the Chief Justice under section 72 of the Legal Practitioners Ordinance (Cap. 159))

**1. Commencement**

These Rules come into operation on a day to be appointed by the President of The Law Society of Hong Kong by notice published in the Gazette.

**2. Admission and Registration Rules amended**

The Admission and Registration Rules (Cap. 159 sub. leg. B) are amended as set out in rule 3.

**3. Schedule amended (forms)**

(1) The Schedule, Chinese text, Form 4—

**Repeal**

“遵從條例”

**Substitute**

“遵從本條例”.

(2) The Schedule, Form 4, declaration, part (a), paragraph 8—

**Repeal**

“(9) Property

(10) Trusts, Wills and Probate

**Substitute**

- “(9) International law
- (10) Property
- (11) Trusts, Wills and Probate ”.

Andrew CHEUNG  
Chief Justice

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### **Explanatory Note**

These Rules amend Form 4 (a trainee solicitor's application for a certificate of eligibility for admission as a solicitor) in the Schedule to the Admission and Registration Rules (Cap. 159 sub. leg. B).

2. A textual amendment is made to the Chinese text of the Form to align it with Forms 1B and 1C.
3. International law is introduced as one of the basic legal topics in which a trainee solicitor may gain proper training and experience.