

157. Evidence on application by Official Receiver

Where for the purposes of any application to the court by the Official Receiver for directions, or on his opposing a bankruptcy order or applying to annul a bankruptcy order, or for leave to disclaim a lease, or for an extension of time to apply for leave to disclaim a lease, or for an order to take criminal proceedings against a bankrupt, or to commit a bankrupt, it is necessary that evidence be given by him in support of such opposition or application, such evidence may be given by a report of the Official Receiver to the court and need not be given by affidavit, and any such report of the Official Receiver to the court shall be received by the court as prima facie evidence of the matters reported upon.

(G.N.A. 124 of 1955; L.N. 77 of 1998)