

SUPREME COURT OF THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

NOTICE TO PRACTITIONERS

Criminal Central listing Dates 2017

The Criminal Central Listing periods during 2017 are as follows:

February/March sittings

(5 weeks) 6 March to 7 April 2017 (inclusive)

May/June sittings

(5 weeks) 22 May to 23 June 2017 (inclusive)

August/September sittings

(5 weeks) 21 August to 22 September 2017 (inclusive)

November/December sittings

(5 weeks) 13 November to 15 December 2017 (inclusive)

The list will be called over before a Judge. Each callover will be held at 9.30am on the following dates, unless otherwise advised by the Court:

Monday 7 November 2016	for the February/March 2017 sittings
Monday 27 February 2017	for the May/June 2017 sittings
Monday 15 May 2017	for the August/September 2017 sittings
Monday 14 August 2017	for the November/December 2017 sittings
Monday 6 November 2017	for the first 2018 sittings (TBA)

At the call over the representatives of the parties should have full instructions and be prepared to advise the Court as to:

- whether the matter is to proceed by trial by jury or a trial by judge alone (election having been filed)
- any reason why a trial should be allocated to a particular judge
- whether there are any pre trial applications or pre trial hearings in the matter
- any prospects of the matter resolving without the need for a trial
- the names of counsel appearing in the matter
- counsel and witness unavailability during the sitting time
- the expected duration of the trial
- any requirement for CCTV, video conferencing or the recording of evidence
- any other relevant matter which could affect the hearing of the trial.

A trial date for each matter ready to proceed in the sittings will usually be given at the callover.

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Acting Registrar

3 August 2016