

# **SUPREME COURT OF THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**

## **NOTICE TO PRACTITIONERS**

### **Updated Criminal Central listing Dates 2022**

Practitioners are advised that due to the impact of the COVID-19 on court listings the Central Criminal and Central Civil listing periods will be combined during the period February 2022 – April 2022 and the number of listing weeks increased. Central Criminal listing periods for 2022 will be now be held as follows:

#### **February/April sittings**

(8 weeks) 14 February to 14 April 2022 (inclusive)

#### **May/June/July sittings**

(7 weeks) 30 May to 15 July 2022 (inclusive)

#### **August/September/October sittings**

(7 weeks) 29 August to 14 October 2022 (inclusive)

#### **November/December sittings**

(2 weeks) 21 November to 2 December 2022 (inclusive)

If circumstances require, the Court may sit to conduct trials on dates other than those listed above. 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:

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| Monday <b>28 February 2022</b> | for the May/June/July 2022 sittings            |
| Monday <b>9 May 2022</b>       | for the August/September/October 2022 sittings |
| Monday <b>8 August 2022</b>    | for the November/December 2022 sittings        |
| Monday <b>7 November 2022</b>  | for the first 2023 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.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Jayne Reece', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jayne Reece  
Registrar

6 October 2021