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22 November 2024

TO: ALL LEGAL PRACTITIONERS  
URGENT COURT DIRECTIVE: 22-29 NOVEMBER 2024  
BEFORE JUSTICE HOLLAND-MUTER

1. **There shall be physical hearing at Court 4B at 10h:00.** Virtual hearing will be conducted only for matters lodged afterhours, weekends, public holiday and parties must arrange with the secretary working afterhours for a link. The senior Judge will only be available as from Monday the 25<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Therefore, all applications bought over the weekend must be liaised with the clerk of Judge Holland-Muter. Weekend & Monday duties will be divided between Judge Holland-Muter & Judge Wanless.
2. **Any settlements & removals received by the litigants will be attended too on Monday the 25<sup>th</sup> November 2024.** Parties are requested to notify the secretary timeously through email and further attach the draft order, settlement agreement, consent from both parties. Counsel will be excused to attend court if matter is removed by Notice and same has been transmitted to the secretary.

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3. **Roll call will be conducted on Tuesday excluding settlements & removals.**
4. Introductions before all Judges will be conducted at 09h:45 in their respective chambers. **Parties are urged to be punctual.**
5. The 500 pages rule still applies either affidavit and annexures, parties will be advised to approach the DJP'S office for 3<sup>rd</sup> court motion/ Special trial dates.
6. A practice note must be filed by all parties appearing in a matter, dealing specifically with urgency, giving a brief synopsis of the matter, and outlining the issues to be decided. The practice note shall be filed on CaseLines by no later than **12h:00 on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2024.** **Practice note must suggest dates of availability before roll call on Tuesday. Parties will be restricted to their time estimation as per Practice Note in order to enable adequate allocations.**
7. Parties shall attend court with 1 hard copy of their **Heads of Argument, List of Authorities** if any and **1 Copy of the proposed Draft orders** depicting the details of the court room (i.e Court 4B) Judge presiding over the matter (Judge Holland-Muter) and the details of the instructing attorneys and appearances on the last page.
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