

AS ALLOCATED

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA
GAUTENG LOCAL DIVISION, JOHANNESBURG
MONDAY 09th JUNE 2025**

THE DEFAULT MODE OF HEARING OF MATTERS IS IN PHYSICAL COURT

**EVEN THOUGH THE DEFAULT MODE OF HEARINGS IS PHYSICAL, JUDGES
MAY ELECT TO PROCEED VIRTUALLY**

**LITIGANTS ARE TO CONFIRM THE MANNER IN WHICH THE HEARING WILL BE
CONDUCTED WITH THE SECRETARY OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE**

**IN VIRTUAL HEARINGS, THE LINK WILL BE CREATED BY THE SECRETARY
OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE AND CIRCULATED TO THE LITIGANTS**

OPPOSED MOTION

9C BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE YACOOB J

Video-link BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE S KRUGER AJ

8F BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE C READ AJ

8E BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE L FRANCK AJ

8D BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE BRUINDERS AJ

8C BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE NAIR AJ

Video-link BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE B KAHN AJ

INSOLVENCY COURT

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE J GAUTSCHI AJ

UNOPPOSED MOTION

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE MUDAU J

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE TWALA J

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE DLAMINI J

URGENT APPLICATIONS

9A BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE MAHOSI J

9B BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE RAUBENHEIMER AJ

SPECIAL MOTION

11F BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE DIPPENAAR J
2022-007263

11E BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE CRUTCHFIELD J
2025-054219

9F BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE D J SMIT AJ
2025-069316

INCOME TAX COURT

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE BAM J
(IT46495; IT46040)

FAMILY COURT

11B BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE MIA J

11C BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE REID J

11D BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE LIEBENBERG AJ

SPECIAL INTERLOCUTORY COURT

GB BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE WANLESS J

RAF DEFAULT JUDGMENT COURT

8A BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE ALLY AJ

8B BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE THOBANE AJ

CRIMINAL APPEALS

6D BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE MOOSA J
AND BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE DOSIO J
2024-064703

FULL COURT APPEALS: CRIMINAL

4E BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE KUNY J
AND BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE BOKAKO AJ
AND BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE KARAM AJ
A235/2016

GENERAL CIVIL TRIALS

6A BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE SENYATSI J

6B BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE MAIER-FRAWLEY J

6C BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE MOULTRIE AJ

6F BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUDGE MOKOENA AJ

THE CIVIL TRIAL ROLL BEFORE SUTHERLAND DJP.

THERE SHALL BE NO PHYSICAL TRIAL ROLL CALL.

PARTIES MUST COMPLY STRICTLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH 19 OF THE REVISED CONSOLIDATED PRACTICE DIRECTIVE 01 OF 2024 (With effect from 26 February 2024 and amended on 12 June 2024)

Regarding Practice Notes:

1. *What is envisaged is a practice note filed **shortly before the trial** after a last check on whether a trial is necessary at all, and if so, how expeditiously can it be conducted. Axiomatically this assessment can only be made shortly before trial.*
2. *In several instances, a practice note is filed months before the trial date. This is of **no value** in declaring the status quo on the eve of trial. When matters are struck off because no recent practice note was filed, parties are understandably disappointed. The **recent** practice note is critical to the optimal utilisation of court time, and it must therefore be so that it must indeed be recent.*
3. *Litigants' attention is drawn to paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of Practice Directive 01 of 2024 which came*

*into effect from 26 February 2024 and which were amended on 12 June 2024. The practice note, prepared in accordance with the practice note templates annexed to the Directive must be uploaded not earlier than **7 court** days and not later than **5 court** days before the hearing set-down. If no practice note is timeously uploaded (or uploaded after the cut-off date), the matter shall automatically be removed from the roll, and the date forfeited. If the practice note is non-compliant with the practice manual or Practice Directive 01 of 2024, the matter shall be automatically removed and similarly the date forfeited. The provision shall be strictly applied.*

4. LAST DATE TO SUBMIT PRACTICE NOTES: MONDAY, 02 JUNE 2025

JUDGES, ACTING JUDGES AND LITIGANTS ARE REMINDED OF CHAPTER 6.9 OF THE PRACTICE MANUAL DATED OCTOBER 2018 WHICH DEALS WITH THE PROCEDURE TO ENROLL PART-HEARD CIVIL TRIALS

NOTE ON CIVIL TRIALS WHERE ON THE DAY IT IS CALLED THE PARTIES ANNOUNCE A DESIRE TO SETTLE

1. Judges and Acting Judges serving in the civil trial court must be circumspect when confronted by parties who seek a stand-down to settle.
2. Valuable judicial time is squandered whilst waiting on an agreement to be produced, if at all.
3. The standard procedure is that if a trial is not ready to run at 10h00 on the set down date it should be removed with no costs order. The judge is then available to take the next case.
4. In a case where the parties do settle in that week, an agreement can be brought to the judge who was presiding for it to be made an order. If settled later, the opportunity to re-enrol it on the settlement roll on one weeks' notice remains available
5. The cases awaiting a judge's attention must not be left to linger and risk being crowded out.
6. The abuse by parties is particularly prevalent in RAF cases.

NUMBER ON ROLL	CASE NO	PARTIES	DATE TRIAL DATE APPLIED FOR	DATE TRIAL DATE GRANTED	ALLOCATION/ORDER GRANTED
PART A: GENERAL CIVIL TRIALS					
1.	2023/098328	VELI HARRY SIMELANE VS NOMBULELO VICTORIA SIMELANE	03/10/2024	09/10/2023	No practice note (as set out in paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of the Judge President's Practice Directive 01 of 2024 as amended on 12 June 2024) was uploaded to the electronic file – Matter is struck off from the trial roll.
2.	2021/15296	TLHOMELANG VIRGINIA EVODIA VS TLHOMELANG PATRICK GOMOTSENG Plaintiff: Ms R Crisp Divorce (division of joint estate; primary residence of minor children) Estimated duration; 1 – 2 days	27/09/2024	16/10/2024	SENYATSI J Secretary: Ms N Mvula Email: NMvula@judiciary.org.za

3.	2022/017538	THATO TASE MODISELLE VS PALESA HOLOM Plaintiff: Adv A Vosloo-De Witt Estimated duration: 1 – 2 days Divorce (rehabilitative maintenance; maintenance re minor children; division of joint estate; reasons for breakdown of marriage) Defendant's attorneys withdrew on 15 May 2025	18/09/2024	30/10/2024	MATTER STANDS TO BE ALLOCATED. THE ALLOCATION WILL OCCUR AS SOON AS A JUDGE BECOMES AVAILABLE. THE PARTIES WILL BE NOTIFIED PER E-MAIL WHEN THE ALLOCATION OCCURS. <u>MATTERS CROWDED OUT:</u> IF ANY MATTER RIPE FOR TRIAL CANNOT BE ALLOCATED TO A JUDGE, THE MATTER SHALL STAND OVER UNTIL THE NEXT COURT DAY
4.	2023/048367	NDLOVU CHRISTIAN KHANYISANI VS NDLOVU NONHLANHLA FAITH Defendant: Mr Z Marx du Plessis Estimated duration: 1 – 2 days Divorce (spousal maintenance; rehabilitative maintenance)	03/09/2024	27/09/2024	MAIER FRAWLEY J Secretary: Mr T Kabai Email: TKabai@judiciary.org.za

5.	2023/129580	ZIPHOZONKE JOHNSON ZUNGU VS BONANGANI ALTER NGCOBO Plaintiff: Adv M Muchopa Divorce (forfeiture of benefit in favour of defendant) Estimated duration; 1 – 2 days ***PRACTICE NOTE WAS UPLOADED ON 15 OCTOBER 2024; NO UPDATED PRACTICE NOTE UPLOADED***	27/09/2024	16/10/2024	No practice note (as set out in paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of the Judge President's Practice Directive 01 of 2024 as amended on 12 June 2024) was uploaded to the electronic file – Matter is struck off from the trial roll.
6.	2023/070490	KGOMOTSO MARJORIE SELOKANE-MAJA VS ZILA OYAMA MAJA	09/09/2024	27/09/2024	No practice note (as set out in paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of the Judge President's Practice Directive 01 of 2024 as amended on 12 June 2024) was uploaded to the electronic file – Matter is struck off from the trial roll.
7.	2019/28467	EDNA MABALE VS COLLIN MATHEBULA	17/10/2024	24/10/2024	No practice note (as set out in paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of the Judge President's Practice Directive 01 of 2024 as amended on 12 June 2024) was uploaded to the electronic file – Matter is struck off from the trial roll.

8.	2023/111728	JABULILE MARIA ADELAIDE SIBAYAY VS MBONGISENI PETRUS SIBAYA Plaintiff: Adv K L Blair Defendant: Mr G Lazarus Divorce (forfeiture of benefits) Pre-trial conference: 23 August 2024; 29 May 2025 Minutes filed: 23 August 2024; 30 May 2025 Estimated duration; 1 – 2 days	14/10/2024	30/10/2024	MOKOENA AJ Secretary: Ms G Vase Email: GVase@judiciary.org.za
9.	2023/060206	SIPHO MTHOKOZISI LUVUNO VS MENZELE SHUMI SIBUSISIWE	03/09/2024	30/10/2024	No practice note (as set out in paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of the Judge President's Practice Directive 01 of 2024 as amended on 12 June 2024) was uploaded to the electronic file – Matter is struck off from the trial roll.
10.	2022/23283	DLAMINI KUTLWANO VS DLAMINI XOLILE BRIAN	08/04/2024	30/10/2024	No practice note (as set out in paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of the Judge President's Practice Directive 01 of 2024 as amended on 12 June 2024) was uploaded to the electronic file – Matter is struck off from the trial roll.

11.	2019/43894	SING AJEETH VS MAYKU BERNICE DAWN LYNN Plaintiff: Mr J C Bornman Divorce (division of joint estate; contact arrangements toward minor child) Estimated duration: 1 day Pre-trial conference: 19 April 2023; 04 June 2024 Minutes registered: 04 September 2024	04/09/2024	31/10/2024	MATTER STANDS TO BE ALLOCATED. THE ALLOCATION WILL OCCUR AS SOON AS A JUDGE BECOMES AVAILABLE. THE PARTIES WILL BE NOTIFIED PER E-MAIL WHEN THE ALLOCATION OCCURS. <u>MATTERS CROWDED OUT:</u> IF ANY MATTER RIPE FOR TRIAL CANNOT BE ALLOCATED TO A JUDGE, THE MATTER SHALL STAND OVER UNTIL THE NEXT COURT DAY
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12.	2021/23603	COETZER LOUWRENS VS COETZER ALTHEA Plaintiff: Ms R Andrews Defendant: Mr E Nel Divorce (division of joint estate; spousal maintenance) Pre-trial conference: 04 September 2024; 13 May 2025 Estimated duration: 2 day	01/10/2024	30/10/2024	MATTER STANDS TO BE ALLOCATED. THE ALLOCATION WILL OCCUR AS SOON AS A JUDGE BECOMES AVAILABLE. THE PARTIES WILL BE NOTIFIED PER E-MAIL WHEN THE ALLOCATION OCCURS. <u>MATTERS CROWDED OUT:</u> IF ANY MATTER RIPE FOR TRIAL CANNOT BE ALLOCATED TO A JUDGE, THE MATTER SHALL STAND OVER UNTIL THE NEXT COURT DAY
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13	2021/5674	DR I DE WILDE INC v B M SEQUEIRA Plaintiff: Adv N S H Ali Defendant: Adv R Britz Defendant intends raising a point in limine to all four claims Issues in dispute: Validity of plaintiff's claim; That the defendant breached her employment contract; That plaintiff suffered any damage; Prescription of a portion of plaintiff's claims Merits Pre-trial conference: 28 June 2023; 22 May 2025 Minutes filed: 13 July 2023 Estimated duration; 5 days			MOULTRIE AJ Secretary: Ms A Mkhize Email: AMkhize@judiciary.org.za
PART B: ROAD ACCIDENT FUND					
MATTERS REMOVED FROM THE ROLL BY NOTICE					

MATTERS NOT ON THE ROLL, COURT FILES ARE NOT WITH ROLL CALLING JUDGE

1. The civil trial roll is submitted to the Office of the Deputy Judge President by the Registrar approximately nine (09) court days before the trial date and was correct when it reached the Secretary of the Deputy Judge President.
2. The roll received from the registrar's office is then posted on the website of the Johannesburg Society of Advocates approximately five (05) court days before the trial date, where litigants may inspect the roll.
3. The failure of the registrar to include matters on the roll must be taken up with the Registrar by no later than five (05) court days before the trial date. For that purpose, kindly approach the registrar, **Ms N Mvumbi** (NMvumbi@judiciary.org.za / 010 494 8399) timeously to enquire about the enrolment.
4. If the **registrar** approves the enrolment, the matter may be enrolled and dealt with. If the registrar declines the enrolment, the parties may apply for a new trial date in terms of the existing Practice Directives.
5. Last-minute enquiries will not be accommodated.

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