



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA
(GAUTENG DIVISION, PRETORIA)**

**DIRECTIVE FOR FAMILY COURT BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MADAM JUSTICE VUMA J
FOR
03 AUGUST 2026 - 07 AUGUST 2026**

29 JULY 2026

1. HEARING:

- 1.1 All matters will be heard in **OPEN COURT** at **10:00**
- 1.2 Introductions will be done in **OPEN COURT** as and when counsel call their matters.
- 1.3 No documents may be uploaded onto CaseLines after **Friday 31 July 2026**.
- 1.4 Parties must bring one hard copy of the draft order sought to hand up. The draft order should contain the date, court and name of the Judge, as well as the name and contact details of the party's counsel and instructing attorney – the draft order should also contain the certificate regarding electronic uploading thereof.
- 1.5 All matters must comply strictly with these directives and the Consolidated Practice Directives.

2. UNOPPOSED DIVORCES

- 2.1 All unopposed divorces will be heard on **Monday, the 03 August 2026**.

2.2 Divorces where there are settlement agreements and no minor children, may be called and finalised on the documentary evidence and evidence affidavits, provided that all documents are uploaded to Caselines and all relevant information is properly before court by **Friday, 31 July 2026**.

2.3 All unopposed divorces with no settlement agreements will be dealt with by way of viva voce evidence.

2.4 In unopposed divorces, where minor children are involved, settlement agreements must be endorsed by the office of the Family Advocate and viva voce evidence needs to be led.

3. **URGENT MATTERS.**

3.1 Urgent matters will be heard on **Tuesday, 04 August 2026 at 10:00**.

4. **OTHER FAMILY MATTERS:**

4.1 All other family matters (**including RULE 43 APPLICATIONS**) will be heard on **Wednesday, 05 August 2026** or at a later date and time as required by the exigencies.

4.2 Counsel is requested to have regard to the widely shared note function on CaseLines as queries may be raised and/or notes may be distributed using this function prior to the hearing date.

4.3 Communication with this office must be done by email to my Registrar **Ms Lungelwa F. Nyilika** at LNyilika@judiciary.org.za

5. Legal practitioners must upload the Draft Orders on Caselines, ensure that the draft order contains the correct case number, correct names of the parties involved that the application appeared before **MADAM JUSTICE JUDGE VUMA** on the applicable set down date and include the following Disclaimer:

This Order is made an Order of Court by the Judge whose name is reflected herein, duly stamped by the Registrar of the Court and is submitted electronically to the Parties/their legal representatives by email. This Order is further uploaded to the electronic file of this matter on CaseLines by the Judge or her secretary.

6. Please kindly allow 7(seven) court days for the signed court order to be uploaded on Caselines.

Yours faithfully,

Ms Lungelwa F. Nyilika

LNyilika@judiciary.org.za

OFFICE: 2.12

SECRETARY TO THE HONOURABLE MADAM JUSTICE VUMA J.

ALLOCATED COURT ROLL:

DIVORCES:

1.	GOUWS L	VS	GOUWS L	095361/26
2.	MATSHA KR	VS	MATSHA MJ	121818/26
3.	MC KAY C	VS	MC KAY FC	034963/25
4.	MKULA S	VS	MLANGA KM	110741/24
5.	LOUW MR	VS	LOUW B	58230/21
6.	SMITH SD	VS	SMITH TD	206966/25
7.	PHULWANE TS	VS	PHULWANE PJ	035999/26
8.	NGAMLANA S	VS	TSHIVHOMBEDZE R	184083/25
9.	SACCO C	VS	SACCO ABA	097346/25
10.	BOTHA AL	VS	BOTHA JD	104593/26
11.	PHOKU NT	VS	NDHAMBI MT	25981/22
12.	XABA MS	VS	XABA NM	099585/26
13.	TSELANYANE RM	VS	TSELANYANE MS	109100/26
14.	COETZEE T	VS	COETZEE JJ	131658/26
15.	LOEST HC	VS	LOEST A	110096/25
16.	MEYER AM	VS	MEYER PJ	032408/26
17.	ROOINEK TO	VS	ROOINEK MJ	061382/24

18. ERASMUS Z	VS	ERASMUS KT	040113/26
19. MTIMKULU OKP	VS	MNGUNI BN	074353/26
20. PABIAN AM	VS	PABIAN BA	063592/26
21. MASHABELA SM	VS	TAKALO SC	046322/26
22. NTSIE CT	VS	NTSIE TMK	248212/25
23. SWANEPOEL AM	VS	SWANEPOEL MJ	034376/26
24. RALEBALA LC	VS	RALEBALA D	088406/26

RULE 43:

25. FEENEY CL	VS	FEENY DL	57733/20
26. LA GRANGE J	VS	FANFONI VA	027398/25

OTHER FAMILY MATTERS:

27. BOROKO DC	VS	DEP OF HOME AFFAIRS	097387/24
28. BOTHA G	VS	PRINSLOO C	064149/23
29. MOGALE MM	VS	EX PARTE	107606/26
30. SEBURI NJ	VS	DG OF HOME AFFAIRS	120916/26
31. FOTHANE AD	VS	RADEBE CS	032848/23
32. ELLIS M	VS	ELLIS A	29878/22