

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE
IN THE
HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA
(GAUTENG LOCAL DIVISION)



2026

MOTION COURT FOR THE 3RD WEEK OF THE 1ST TERM (i.e. 02 – 06 FEBRUARY 2026)

PRESIDING JUDGE: The Honourable Acting Justice Meaden

CONTACT PERSON: Mr. R Mahori

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HEARING MODE: Open Court

COURT (ROOM): To Be Announced

DIRECTIVES

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING DIRECTIVES BY THE PRESIDING JUDGE:

1. DELIVERY OF PHYSICAL CASE FILES IN HARDCOPIES FOR PERUSAL BY THE JUDGE:

- a. In these proceedings, **parties are**, through their representatives, **directed to deliver physical case files (i.e. bundles) containing hardcopies of pleadings and other relevant documents** necessary in presenting their matter through, as bound through arch-lever files or similar files, by this very **Monday noon (being the 26th of JANUARY 2026 @ 14:00 PM), to Richard Meaden & Associates Inc.** at the address indicated below.
- b. All annexures are to be flagged.

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2. **HEARING MODE AND VENUE:**

- a. All matters are to, respectively, proceed on the date(s) and time(s) indicated below.
- b. Proceedings will take place OPENLY/PHYSICALLY, the exact Court (Room) of which would be announced in due course.
- c. Only in exceptional justice-oriented circumstances deemed by the Presiding Judge to be aiding in getting the matter expeditiously disposed of and by prior arrangement with the Judge's Secretary; may a virtual hearing mode, alternatively proposed (and agreed-upon by both parties), be resorted to.

3. **APPEARANCE:**

- a. Appearance will be required in all matters, save for those that have been duly removed by notice.
 - b. Thus, Notice(s) of Removal must be uploaded as reasonably early as possible to avoid the need for physical appearance or rather, at the very least, a rational expectation of it by the Court.
4. In addition to availed physical files, as cited in para 1 above, legal representatives are to ensure that:
- a. All of their matters are **accessible** on CaseLines;
 - b. **Comply with the DJP's Directive dated 01 December 2025 (ref: DJP/36/2012/It effective as of Term 1 of 2026);** and
 - c. the **interface bundle** is created for all Court-On-Line matters, if any at all, to be accessible on Case Lines by both the presiding Judge and his Secretary- **Mr. Ripfumelo Mahori** in the main;

- c. a **complete set of papers** being uploaded to CaseLines; and,
- d. updated **Practice Notes** are accompanying the above hard copy bundle to be presented on 26 January 2026 to Meaden AJ and advise on how expeditiously motion proceedings may be conducted. Litigants' attention is drawn to paragraphs 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5 of the Judge President's Consolidated Practice Directive effective 26 February 2024. *Practitioners ought to make sure that filed Practice Notes, take the trouble to address all the requirements detailed in the aforementioned practice directive.* Should a Joint Practice Note not be filed, the parties must each file a separate Practice Note and indicate why a Joint Practice Note could not be filed. The filed Practice Note must indicate under which sections, on CaseLines, the relevant papers, that must be read, are to be found.

5. **DRAFT ORDERS:**

- a. As with Practice Notes, practitioners are to duly upload onto Court-On-Line/ CaseLines (in PDF format) and email (in Word format), respectively, Draft Orders to email RMahori@judiciary.org.za.
- b. Draft Orders must be duly completed and compliant (i.e. they must contain the details of the party's representative or representatives, reflect the hearing date and particulars of the presiding officer). Moreover, draft orders must accordingly be uploaded onto CaseLines, with two (2) hardcopies being handed in Court. Such draft orders must be signature ready.

6. **CHRONOLOGY / TIMELINE**

Parties are requested to file a timeline **Chronology** of the matter simultaneously with the Practice Note.

7. **REMOVAL / POSTPONEMENT / SETTLEMENT**

Where matters are to be **removed**, **postponed**, or have become **settled**, the parties must contact and notify **Mr. Ripfumelo Mahori** without delay.

8. **INTRODUCTIONS**

Any pressing issue that the parties would like to bring to the attention of Meaden AJ in Chambers may be raised upon Counsel introducing themselves to the Judge in Chambers and prior to the commencement of the trial.

OPPOSED MOTIONS

MATTER NO.	DATE	TIME	Parties	Case No.	Nature	Hearing Mode	Status Outcome Comment	
...	Monday – 02 February 2026	10:00	Noxolo Tuta v. Kwezi Tube	2024-013256	Family law	OPEN COURT	-	
...		10:30	Razor Bill Properties 82 (Pty) Ltd v Oasis Church Johannesburg NPO	2024-112700	Eviction			
...		14:00	Sohibou Fall v Minister Of Police 1 st Respondent / Minister Of Justice 2 nd Respondent	17097/2017	Condonation		-	
...	Tuesday – 03 February 2026	10:00	Muzi Paul Mngadi v Mpho Onica Mngadi	2024-109855	Administration of deceased estate	OPEN COURT	-	
...		11:00	Tlaka and Associates Inc. v M.L Mateme Inc	2024-095887	Review of the decision of the Master of the High Court		-	
...		14:00	Bryte Insurance Company Limited v Mziki Transport Holdings (Pty) Ltd & Liam Royce N.O & The Sheriff, Johannesburg North	2024-097437	Rescission of judgment		-	
...	Wednesday – 04 February 2026	10:00	CIB (Pty) Ltd v. Cartrack (Pty) Ltd # 2024-143391 # 12000121Cartrack	2024-143391	PAIA application	OPEN COURT	-	

...	Thursday – 05 February 2026	10:00	Dollar Rent A Car Incorporated v. Yunus Moolla	2024-074554	Exception (Rule 23) & Rule 47 security for costs	OPEN COURT	-	
...	Friday – 06 February 2026	10:00	Body Corporate Of Milpark Mews v The City Of Johannesburg Metropolitan Municipality	2024-006576	-		THIS MATTER IS NOT ACCESSIBLE TO THE JUDGE ON CASELINES	