



Coronavirus

Order in respect of Summary Criminal Business – Refixing Diets

No. 12 of 2020

This order follows upon “*Coronavirus – Order in respect of Summary Criminal Business – Refixing Diets No. 7 of 2020*” of 25 March 2020.

In relation to the following categories of summary criminal business calling in the weeks specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance, certain diets have been assigned for days which are no longer suitable to the court, namely:

1. All cases calling in the diet courts;
2. All cases calling in the intermediate diet courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody);
3. All cases calling in the summary trials courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody);
4. All cases calling in the remand courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody); and
5. All cases calling in the drugs and alcohol courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody).

In accordance with the power set out in section 137ZB of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995 (“the 1995 Act”), the court, of its own accord, hereby discharges the said diets assigned for the weeks specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance and fixes new diets as follows:

1. In respect of all cases calling in the diet courts in a week specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance, a new diet will be fixed for the same day in the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule;
2. In respect of all cases calling in the intermediate diet courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody) in a week specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance, a new intermediate diet will be assigned for the same day in the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule ; the trial diet will also be discharged and a new trial diet will be fixed for the same day in the week set out in column C of the same row in the Schedule;
3. In respect of all cases calling in the summary trials courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody) in a week specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance, a new trial diet will be fixed for the same day in the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule;
4. In respect of all cases calling in the remand courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody) in a week specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance, a new diet will be assigned for the same day in the week set out in column D of the same row in the Schedule; and
5. In respect of cases calling in the drugs and alcohol courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody) in a week specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance, a new diet will be assigned for the same day in the week set out in column D of the same row in the Schedule.

Sheriff Principal C.D.Turnbull

14 May 2020

SCHEDULE

COLUMN A	COLUMN B	COLUMN C	COLUMN D
w/c 18 May 2020	w/c 5 October 2020	w/c 2 November 2020	w/c 13 July 2020
w/c 25 May 2020	w/c 12 October 2020	w/c 9 November 2020	w/c 20 July 2020*
w/c 1 June 2020	w/c 19 October 2020	w/c 16 November 2020	w/c 27 July 2020
w/c 8 June 2020	w/c 26 October 2020	w/c 23 November 2020	w/c 3 August 2020
w/c 15 June 2020	w/c 2 November 2020	w/c 30 November 2020	w/c 10 August 2020
w/c 22 June 2020	w/c 9 November 2020	w/c 7 December 2020	w/c 17 August 2020
w/c 29 June 2020	w/c 16 November 2020	w/c 14 December 2020	w/c 24 August 2020

* w/c 20 July 2020 – Monday 20 July 2020 is a public holiday. All business (with the exception of cases calling in the alcohol court) which would be continued until that date in terms of this order is continued until Friday 17 July 2020. Cases calling in the alcohol court which would be continued until that date in terms of this order are continued until Monday 27 July 2020.