

# SUPREME COURT OF THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

## NOTICE TO PRACTITIONERS

### Criminal Central listing Dates 2021

Criminal Central Listing periods will be held as follows:

**March/April sittings**

(6 weeks) 15 March to 23 April 2021 (inclusive)

**May/June sittings**

(7 weeks) 31 May to 16 July 2021 (inclusive)

**September/October sittings**

(6 weeks) 6 September to 8 October 2021 (inclusive)

**November/December sittings**

(3 weeks) 15 November to 3 December 2021 (inclusive)

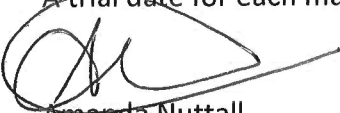
If circumstances require, the Court may sit to conduct trials on dates other than those listed above. The list will be called over before a Judge. Each callover will be held at 9.30am on the following dates, unless otherwise advised by the Court:

Monday 9 November 2020	for the March/April 2021 sittings
Monday 1 March 2021	for the May/June 2021 sittings
Monday 24 May 2021	for the September/October 2021 sittings
Monday 30 August 2021	for the November/December 2021 sittings
Monday 8 November 2020	for the first 2022 sittings (TBA)

At the call over the representatives of the parties should have full instructions and be prepared to advise the Court as to:

- whether the matter is to proceed by trial by jury or a trial by judge alone (election having been filed)
- any reason why a trial should be allocated to a particular judge
- whether there are any pre trial applications or pre trial hearings in the matter
- any prospects of the matter resolving without the need for a trial
- the names of counsel appearing in the matter
- counsel and witness unavailability during the sitting time
- the expected duration of the trial
- any requirement for CCTV, video conferencing or the recording of evidence
- any other relevant matter which could affect the hearing of the trial.

A trial date for each matter ready to proceed in the sittings will usually be given at the callover.

  
Amanda Nuttall  
Registrar

9 July 2020

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COURT OF APPEAL  
NOTICE TO PRACTITIONERS**

**Court of Appeal Sitting Dates 2021**

Sittings of the Court of Appeal will be held as follows:

**February sittings**

(2 weeks) 8 February to 19 February 2021 (inclusive)

**May sittings**

(1 week) 17 May to 21 May 2021 (inclusive)

**August sittings**

(2 weeks) 9 August to 20 August 2021 (inclusive)

**November sittings**

(2 weeks) 1 November to 12 November 2021 (inclusive)

If circumstances require, the Court of Appeal may sit to hear appeals on dates other than those listed above.

The list will be called over before a Judge, Registrar or Deputy Registrar. Each callover will usually be held at **9.00am** on the following dates:

Wednesday 7 October 2020	for the February 2021 sittings
Wednesday 10 February 2021	for the May 2021 sittings
Wednesday 5 May 2021	for the August 2021 sittings
Wednesday 7 July 2021	for the November 2021 sittings
Wednesday 13 October 2021	for the February 2022 sittings

At the call over the representatives of the parties should have full instructions and be prepared to advise the Court as to:

- whether the appeal index has been settled
- whether Appeal Folder A has been prepared, filed and served
- whether the issues raised in the matter highlight a question of law
- the names of counsel appearing to argue the appeal
- counsel unavailability during the sitting time
- the expected duration of the appeal
- whether any Judge (other than the Judge being appealed from) may have a conflict in hearing the appeal
- any other relevant matter which could affect the hearing of the appeal

A hearing date for each appeal will be fixed after the callover. Appeals not fixed for hearing may be adjourned to the following callover or other directions may be made. An appeal that has been listed for hearing may be removed from the list on application pursuant to Rule 5437. A civil Court of Appeal matter will only be listed for callover after payment of applicable **setting down/hearing fees**.

The Court of Appeal will list **interlocutory applications** on the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

  
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Registrar

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**Civil central listing Dates & civil mediation blocks 2021**

**Civil central listing periods**

The anticipated dates for the civil central listing periods in 2021, which are indicative only and subject to change, are as follows:

**FEBRUARY**

22 February to 12 March 2021 (inclusive)

**MAY**

3 May to 14 May 2021 (inclusive)

**JULY**

26 July to 6 August 2021 (inclusive)

**OCTOBER**

18 October to 29 October 2021 (inclusive)

The list will be called over before a Judge or the Associate Judge usually on the Monday morning of each week at 9.30am.

**Civil mediation blocks**

The anticipated dates for the civil mediation blocks in 2021, which are indicative only and subject to change, are as follows:

Week commencing 8 February 2021

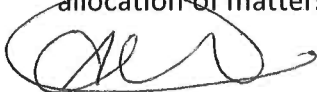
Fortnight commencing 15 March 2021

Fortnight commencing 25 May 2021

Fortnight commencing 23 August 2021

Fortnight commencing 8 November 2021

Each mediation block is filled before the next is open and a mediator appointed. Parties are unable to choose to be listed in a future mediation block that has not been opened for the allocation of matters.



Amanda Nuttall  
Registrar

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