

## **PROCEDURE FOR THE ALLOCATION OF TRIAL DATES**

With immediate effect the following shall apply:

1. No party shall make an application for a trial date in respect of matters that fall under case flow management ( ie: matters from case number 10136/2012 onwards). These matters must be certified ready for trial by a Judge and only then will the registrar allocate a trial date.

For further information in this regard please contact the following persons:

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2. In respect of matters that do not fall under case flow management , the following shall apply:
  - 2.1 A certificate of readiness must be filed with the registrar. The certificate must state that the parties have held a rule 37 conference. The minutes must state the following:
    - ( a) The number of days required for the trial;
    - (b) The number of witnesses that will be called;
    - (c) That all reports, where applicable, have been filed and that proper discovery has been made.
    - (d) That the file has been indexed and paginated

**A FORMAL PRACTICE DIRECTIVE WITH ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS MAY BE ISSUED DURING THE COURSE OF 2015.**

Dated at Durban on this 19<sup>TH</sup> day of December 2014

*H Bridgellal*

Registrar

Durban High Court