



MAGISTRATES' COURT
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Compilation of new legal aid lists

As practitioners will be aware, amendments are being made to the legal aid and legal assistance legislation.

One of the changes which will shortly come into effect is the requirement that practitioners on the legal aid lists take part in a 'duty solicitor' scheme. Details of the scheme are set out in the attached 'Legal Representative Scheme – Duty Solicitor Protocol'.

In light of this change it has been decided to compile new legal aid lists. Practitioners who wish to be included on the legal aid lists held by the Registrar of the Supreme Court and/or the Clerk of the Magistrates' Court must complete and return the 'Legal Aid Practitioner Application Form' to the Clerk of the Magistrates' Court.

Any practitioner who is currently included in the lists but who does not now re-apply will be removed.

In addition, senior practitioners are also invited to join the 'Senior Panel' by completing and returning the 'Senior Panel List Practitioner Application Form'.

Application Forms should be received by the Clerk by no later than 4pm on Friday 8 June 2018.



Maurice Turnock
Clerk of the Magistrates' Court