

# Sheriffdom of Grampian, Highland and Islands

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## Order in respect of Summary Criminal Business – Refixing Certain Diets No. 3 of 2021

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

1. All cases calling in Sheriff Court cited/diet courts (except diets of deferred sentence and those where the accused is in custody );
2. All cases calling in the Justice of the Peace Court (except those where the accused is in custody).

Summary trials scheduled to call between the period from and including 1 March to and including 12 March 2021 and in respect of which an intermediate diet has already taken place, will be administratively adjourned with the exception of those identified as a priority (such as but not limited to those involving allegations of domestic abuse or child witnesses). Said cases contained in Annexe A to this guidance.

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 both Sheriff and JP diet/cited courts in a week specified in column A of Schedule 1 to this guidance, a new diet will be fixed in the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule;

2. In respect of all cases calling in JP intermediate diet courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody) in a week specified in column A of Schedule 2 to this order, a new intermediate diet will be fixed for the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule and the trial diet will also be discharged and a new trial diet will be fixed for the week set out in column C of the same row in the Schedule;
3. In respect of all cases calling in JP summary trials courts where an intermediate diet has been held (excepting those where the accused is in custody) in a week specified in column A of Schedule 2 to this order, a new intermediate diet will be fixed for the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule and the trial diet will also be discharged and a new trial diet will be fixed for the week set out in column C of the same row in Schedule 2;

Appoints Sheriff Clerk to intimate said new diets to parties forthwith.

Although no cited courts will sit in this period where letter pleas have been tendered the court in accordance with the powers set out in section 137ZB of the 1995 Act will, of its own accord, (i) fix a diet to allow such cases to call for the purpose of sentencing or further procedure or (ii) fix an intermediate diet, a pre-intermediate diet meeting, and a trial diet, as appropriate.

**(signed)**

**Sheriff Principal D C W Pyle**

**25 February 2021**

**SCHEDULE 1**

<b>COLUMN A</b>	<b>COLUMN B</b>
w/c 1 March 2021	w/c 19 April 2021 or any suitable week thereafter
w/c 8 March 2021	w/c 26 April 2021 or any suitable week thereafter
w/c 15 March 2021	w/c 3 May 2021 or any suitable week thereafter
w/c 22 March 2021	w/c 10 May 2021 or any suitable week thereafter
w/c 29 March 2021	w/c 17 May 2021 or any suitable week thereafter

**SCHEDULE 2**

<b>COLUMN A</b>	<b>COLUMN B (ID)</b>	<b>COLUMN C (Trial)</b>
w/c 1 March 2021	w/c 12 July 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter	w/c 26 July 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 8 March 2021	w/c 19 July 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter	w/c 2 August 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 15 March 2021	w/c 26 July 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter	w/c 9 August 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 22 March 2021	w/c 2 August 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter	w/c 16 August 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 29 March 2021	w/c 9 August 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter	w/c 23 August 2021 or any other suitable week thereafter

## Annexe A

### Priority Trials

<b>Trial Date</b>	<b>Court</b>	<b>PF Ref</b>
1 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19011033
1 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19007427
1 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19004009
1 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19011518
2 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20010926
2 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB21000249
2 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20004264
2 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20001450
3 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19006302
3 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20002763
3 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19011072
3 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB21000969
4 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19010278
4 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19012148
4 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19009394
4 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20009477
4 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20010089
5 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20008979
5 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20008287
8 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19003353
8 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19001616
8 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19001616
8 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20005223
9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20005681

9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20004337
9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20005282
9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB21001397
9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB21001185
9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20012018
9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20009108
9 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19004944
10 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20007622
10 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19007095
10 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20007202
10 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20008565
11 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20003717
11 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20001789
11 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19000290
11 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20000317
11 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19011410
12 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20001543
12 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20004867
12 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20000313
12 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20000547
12 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB20007246
12 March 2021	Aberdeen	AB19003233
1 March 2021	Inverness	IN20001459
1 March 2021	Inverness	IN19000501
3 March 2021	Inverness	IN19003957
3 March 2021	Inverness	IN20001989
8 March 2021	Inverness	IN20001329

8 March 2021	Inverness	IN21000006
10 March 2021	Inverness	IN21000526
10 March 2021	Inverness	IN20005072
11 March 2021	Inverness	IN20000286
11 March 2021	Inverness	IN20002832
12 March 2021	Inverness	IN19002423
12 March 2021	Inverness	IN2004883
1 March 2021	Elgin	EL20002411
1 March 2021	Elgin	EL20001007
3 March 2021	Elgin	EL19001842
3 March 2021	Elgin	EL19000702
5 March 2021	Elgin	EL20002187
5 March 2021	Elgin	EL20000336
8 March 2021	Elgin	EL20000009
8 March 2021	Elgin	EL20000938
9 March 2021	Elgin	EL19000243
9 March 2021	Elgin	EL20002304
2 March 2021	Tain	TA20000134
2 March 2021	Tain	TA19000470
3 March 2021	Stornoway	SW1900405
3 March 2021	Stornoway	SW20000046
4 March 2021	Lerwick	LE20000144
4 March 2021	Wick	WI20000713
9 March 2021	Wick	WI21000063
9 March 2021	Wick	WI20000696
3 March 2021	Peterhead	PT2000407
3 March 2021	Peterhead	PT20001935

3 March 2021	Peterhead	PT190000952 (notional)
4 March 2021	Peterhead	PT2000172
4 March 2021	Peterhead	PT20001520
10 March 2021	Peterhead	PT20002016
10 March 2021	Peterhead	PT20000605
11 March 2021	Peterhead	PT190001469
11 March 2021	Peterhead	PT20001781
11 March 2021	Peterhead	PT20000199 (notional)
12 March 2021	Peterhead	PT20001734
9 March 2021	Banff	BA20000594
9 March 2021	Banff	BA20000453