

Coronavirus

SHERIFFDOM OF NORTH STRATHCLYDE

Notice in respect of Summary Criminal Business – Refixing Diets

No. 1 of 2021

In relation to the following categories of summary criminal business calling in the weeks specified in column A of the Schedules 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 cited courts;
2. All cases calling in the intermediate diet courts (excepting those where the accused is in custody and those in which a trial diet is presently assigned for a date on or after 1 March 2021);
3. All cases calling in the summary trials 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, will of its own accord, discharge the said diets assigned for the dates specified in column A of the Schedule to this guidance and fix new diets as follows:

1. In respect of all cases calling in the cited courts in a week on a day specified in column A of the Schedule 1 to this guidance, a new diet will be fixed for 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, and those in which a trial diet is presently assigned for a date on or after 1 March 2021) in a week specified in column A of Schedule 2 to this guidance, a new intermediate diet will be fixed for the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule and a Pre-Intermediate Diet Meeting will be fixed for the week set out in column C prior to the new intermediate diet; the trial diet will

also be discharged and a new trial diet will be fixed for the week set out in column D of the same row in the Schedule;

3. In respect of all cases calling in the summary trials courts where an intermediate diet has been held pertaining to that trial prior to 12 January 2021 (excepting those where the accused is in custody) in a week specified in column A of Schedule 2 to this guidance, a new intermediate diet will be fixed for the week set out in column B of the same row in the Schedule and a Pre-Intermediate Diet Meeting will be fixed for the week set out in column C prior to the new intermediate diet; the trial diet will also be discharged and a new trial diet will be fixed for the week set out in column D of the same row in Schedule 2;

The Sheriff Clerk will intimate to parties the new date fixed in terms of section 137ZB forthwith.

DL Murray

Sheriff Principal of North Strathclyde

11 January 2021

SCHEDULE 1

CITED COURTS

DATES APPLICABLE TO ALL NORTH STRATHCLYDE SHERIFF COURT

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
12 January	9 March
13 January	10 March
14 January	11 March
15 January	12 March
18 January	15 March
19 January	16 March
20 January	17 March
21 January	18 March

22 January	19 March
25 January	22 March
26 January	23 March
27 January	24 March
28 January	25 March
29 January	26 March
1 February	29 March
2 February	30 March
3 February	31 March
4 February	1 April
5 February	26 March*
8 February	12 April*
9 February	6 April
10 February	7 April
11 February	8 April
12 February	9 April
15 February	12 April
16 February	13 April
17 February	14 April
18 February	15 April
19 February	16 April
22 February	19 April
23 February	20 April
24 February	21 April
25 February	22 April
26 February	23 April

* Dates adjusted to take into account Easter public holidays

SCHEDULE 2.

INTERMEDIATE DIETS, WHERE THE TRIAL DIET IS SET TO CALL BEFORE THE 1ST MARCH and for TRIALS WHICH HAVE HAD AN INTERMEDIATE DIET PERTAINING TO THAT TRIAL PRIOR TO 12 JANUARY

(Separate list of dates for each NS sheriff court below)

PAISLEY SHERIFF COURT.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B (ID) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN C (PIDM) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN D (Trial) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 11 January 2021 *	9 August 2021	26 July 2021	6 September 2021
w/c 18 January 2021	16 August 2021	2 August 2021	13 September 2021
w/c 25 January 2021	23 August 2021	9 August 2021	20 September 2021
w/c 1 February 2021	30 August 2021	16 August 2021	27 September 2021
w/c 8 February 2021	6 September 2021	23 August 2021	4 October 2021
w/c 15 February 2021	13 September 2021	30 August 2021	11 October 2021
w/c 22 February 2021	20 September 2021	6 September 2021	11 October 2021

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KILMARNOCK SHERIFF COURT.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B (ID) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN C (PIDM) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN D (Trial) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 11 January 2021 *	17 May 2021	3 May 2021	14 June 2021
w/c 18 January 2021	24 May 2021	10 May 2021	21 June 2021
w/c 25 January 2021	31 May 2021	17 May 2021	28 June 2021
w/c 1 February 2021	7 June 2021	24 May 2021	5 July 2021
w/c 8 February 2021	14 June 2021	31 May 2021	12 July 2021
w/c 15 February 2021	21 June 2021	7 June 2021	19 July 2021
w/c 22 February 2021	28 June 2021	14 June 2021	26 July 2021

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DUMBARTON SHERIFF COURT.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B (ID) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN C (PIDM) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN D (Trial) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 11 January 2021 *	28 June 2021	14 June 2021	26 July 2021
w/c 18 January 2021	5 July 2021	21 June 2021	2 August 2021
w/c 25 January 2021	12 July 2021	28 June 2021	9 August 2021
w/c 1 February 2021	19 July 2021	5 July 2021	16 August 2021
w/c 8 February 2021	26 July 2021	12 July 2021	23 August 2021
w/c 15 February 2021	2 August 2021	19 July 2021	30 August 2021
w/c 22 February 2021	9 August 2021	26 July 2021	6 September 2021

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GREENOCK SHERIFF COURT.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B (ID) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN C (PIDM) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN D (Trial) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 11 January 2021 *	7 June 2021	24 May 2021	5 July 2021
w/c 18 January 2021	14 June 2021	31 May 2021	12 July 2021
w/c 25 January 2021	21 June 2021	7 June 2021	19 July 2021
w/c 1 February 2021	28 June 2021	14 June 2021	26 July 2021
w/c 8 February 2021	5 July 2021	21 June 2021	2 August 2021
w/c 15 February 2021	12 July 2021	28 June 2021	9 August 2021
w/c 22 February 2021	19 July 2021	5 July 2021	16 August 2021

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DUNOON SHERIFF COURT.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B (ID) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN C (PIDM) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN D (Trial) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 11 January 2021 *	29 March 2021	15 March 2021	26 April 2021
w/c 18 January 2021	5 April 2021	22 March 2021	3 May 2021
w/c 25 January 2021	12 April 2021	29 March 2021	10 May 2021
w/c 1 February 2021	19 April 2021	5 April 2021	17 May 2021
w/c 8 February 2021	26 April 2021	12 April 2021	24 May 2021
w/c 15 February 2021	3 May 2021	19 April 2021	31 May 2021
w/c 22 February 2021	10 May 2021	26 April 2021	7 June 2021

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OBAN SHERIFF COURT.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B (ID) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN C (PIDM) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN D (Trial) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 11 January 2021 *	15 March 2021	1 March 2021	12 April 2021
w/c 18 January 2021	22 March 2021	8 March 2021	19 April 2021
w/c 25 January 2021	29 March 2021	15 March 2021	26 April 2021
w/c 1 February 2021	5 April 2021	22 March 2021	3 May 2021
w/c 8 February 2021	12 April 2021	29 March 2021	10 May 2021
w/c 15 February 2021	19 April 2021	5 April 2021	17 May 2021
w/c 22 February 2021	26 April 2021	12 April 2021	24 May 2021

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CAMPBELTOWN SHERIFF COURT.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B (ID) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN C (PIDM) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter	COLUMN D (Trial) w/c or any other suitable week thereafter
w/c 11 January 2021 *	24 May 2021	10 May 2021	21 June 2021
w/c 18 January 2021	24 May 2021	10 May 2021	21 June 2021
w/c 25 January 2021	24 May 2021	10 May 2021	21 June 2021
w/c 1 February 2021	24 May 2021	10 May 2021	21 June 2021
w/c 8 February 2021	21 Jun 2021	7 June 2021	19 July 2021
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