

**Taxation Directions Hearing (formerly Taxation Callover) on
20 October 2020
9.30am By Zoom**

costs.court@supcourt.vic.gov.au

Dear Practitioners/Parties;

The Costs Court Taxation Directions Hearing will be conducted on 20 October 2020 before Judicial Registrar Gourlay via Zoom. For the foreseeable future, all Directions Hearings will be conducted using Zoom until the Costs Court can return Court listed hearings.

Consent orders:

In order to manage the risks associated with COVID-19, where ever possible, all parties are expected to provide consent minutes **as soon as possible**, but no later than **2.00 pm on Thursday prior to the hearing date**.

Subject to compliance with the [Costs Court Notice of Temporary Changes to Practice Note](#) (see below), parties are expected to confer for the purpose of reaching agreement and provide consent minutes dealing with the upcoming hearing. Consent orders must be received in signed PDF and Word versions.

Callover Hearings:

In the event the parties cannot reach agreement and a party wishes to proceed with the scheduled Directions Hearing notwithstanding the above, please provide an explanation as to the urgency of the hearing, including your proposed orders and any submissions you wish to rely on by **2.00pm on Friday prior to the hearing date**. The Court will then consider the material and advise whether the hearing will proceed, whether it will be adjourned, or whether the issue in dispute can be determined on the papers.

In the event a hearing is required, hearing times will be staggered and will be conducted via **an online platform**. Each appearing party must provide by **4.00pm on Friday prior to the Callover date** with the name of the individual appearing, their email address and contact phone number.

Please check the usual distributed list and any meeting invites for the time allocated for matter.

Revised Costs Court Practice Note and Draft Orders:

The revised [Costs Court Notice of Temporary Changes to Practice Note](#) which commenced on 1 April 2020. All parties are expected to comply with this Notice.

In addition, the Court has published [Guidance for civil proceedings affected by coronavirus and Information about Virtual Hearings at the Court](#) All Practitioners and Parties should familiarise themselves with these publications.

Email:

In the first instance, all correspondence with the Court in relation to all Costs Court Directions matters must be directed to wood.associate@supcourt.vic.gov.au.

Please inform any other interested parties.

Kind regards,

Associate

Part A: New summons for taxation

No.	File No.	Plaintiff	Defendant
1.	S ECI 2020 3454	Eventus Lawyers Pty Ltd	Richens, KL
2.	S ECI 2020 3486	Fairweather Legal Pty Ltd	Regulation Pty Ltd & Ors
3.	S ECI 2020 3731	Bogdanov Atkins, A	Bogdanov, B (who is sued in his personal and capacity as one of the executors of the estate of Victor Bogdanov, deceased)
4.	S ECI 2020 3790	Barfly's Nominees Pty Ltd	JPM Lawyers Pty Ltd
5.	S ECI 2020 3811	Yang, TZ	Nelson McKinnon Lawyers
6.	S ECI 2020 3847	Brown, FL	Brown, DW

Late entries

No.	File No.	Plaintiff	Defendant

Part B: Review, for mention, adjournments

No.	File No.	Plaintiff	Defendant
7.	S CI 2017 4338	Able Demolitions & Excavations Pty Ltd	Barry Kenna & Co
8.	S ECI 2019 515	Hallett, A	Robert James Lawyers
9.	S ECI 2019 3297	PBP Lawyers	Beard, K
10.	S ECI 2019 3894	Pointon Partners	Kalweit, I
11.	S ECI 2019 4316	Index Pty Ltd & Ors	Tischer Liner FC Law Pty Ltd
12.	S ECI 2019 4432	Adviceline Injury Lawyers	Wallis, SE
13.	S ECI 2019 4666	Grice Legal Probate & Estate Managers Pty Ltd T/as Grice Legal	Plevritis, P
14.	S ECI 2020 1645	Ludlow, JJ	Roberts Beckwith Partners (a firm)
15.	S ECI 2020 2282	MA & J Tripodi Pty Ltd	Swan Hill Chemicals Pty Ltd