



THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

NOTICE TO THE PROFESSION

For some time the volume of chambers applications scheduled for regular civil chambers (currently Fridays at 10:00 a.m. in Courtroom #3) has been such that overcrowding has been experienced by counsel, by litigants and by the general public. When the official capacity of the Courtroom is reached, the Sheriff requires subsequent attendees to wait outside the Courtroom for a seat to become available. This is an unsatisfactory state of affairs.

After consultation with members of the Bar, it has been decided to "split" the regular civil chambers list over two days.

Commencing Thursday, September 6, 2007, motions and applications to be heard at a regularly scheduled chambers date pursuant to Rule 386 will be scheduled as follows:

- a) Family law matters (including confirmation orders): Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. in Courtroom # 3.
- b) PAFVA matters: Thursday at 2:00 p.m. in Courtroom # 3.
- c) Other civil (non-family): Fridays at 10:00 a.m., in Courtroom #3.

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Justice J.E. Richard

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