

## MINISTRY OF JUSTICE

No. 189

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### SITTING OF THE COURT AND VACATIONS

The Judge-President has under section 39(2) of the High Court Act, 1990 (Act No. 16 of 1990), read with rule 2(1) of the Rules of the High Court of Namibia, promulgated under Government Notice No. 59 of 1990, made the rules as set out in the Schedule, which shall come into effect on 1 August 2000.

#### SCHEDULE

1. For the dispatch of civil business there shall be four terms in each year, as follows:
    - (a) From 1 February to 31 March, inclusive;
    - (b) from 15 April to 15 June, inclusive;
    - (c) from 1 August to 30 September, inclusive; and
    - (d) from 15 October to 15 December, inclusive.
  2. During the terms, defended actions, special cases, exceptions, civil appeals and reviews and other cases not specially provided for may be set down for hearing on any day as approved by the registrar: Provided that opposed matters shall not without the prior approval of the Judge-President be set down for hearing for the last 3 days of a term.
  3. During the period 10 January to 15 December, undefended actions, applications and summonses for provisional sentence may be set down for hearing on Mondays and, if a Monday is not a court day, then the first succeeding court day.
  4. Urgent applications and applications for compulsory sequestration may be heard on any court day.
  5. For the dispatch of criminal business, including criminal appeals and reviews, there shall be 2 sessions in the year as follows:
    - (a) From 15 January to 15 June, inclusive; and
    - (b) from 10 July to 1 December, inclusive.
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