

CANADA

FORM 37A

NUNAVUT TERRITORY

IN THE NUNAVUT COURT OF JUSTICE

EMERGENCY CLOSURE ORDER

Effective this 17th day of November, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. BY ORDER of the Chief Judge and/or his designate, ALL REGULARLY SCHEDULED COURT OPERATIONS, including scheduled sittings at the Courthouse in Iqaluit, have been suspended until January 8, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. pursuant to Practice Directive #37. Registry operations will remain open. The Registry will only be accessible online through the ncj.civil@gov.nu.ca and ncj.criminal@gov.nu.ca email addresses during this period of suspension.

All civil matters (except CHW and GRD) scheduled to proceed during this period of suspension are hereby adjourned *sine die*. The NCJ's trial coordinator will contact litigants and counsel at the expiration of the suspension period to reschedule hearings on a prompt basis. Child welfare and Guardianship matters will proceed as scheduled.

All Iqaluit criminal out-of-custody matters scheduled to proceed during this period of suspension will be put to January 18, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.

All Iqaluit in-custody criminal matters scheduled to proceed during this period of suspension will be put to January 19, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.

All filing deadlines that fall within this period of emergency closure are hereby extended to the close of business on Monday, January 11, 2021, the next full day that the Court resumes normal operations.

Any remand warrant, warrant of committal, removal order, subpoena, summons or other court process that is returnable during this period of emergency closure shall continue in full force and effect until the close of business on the dates listed above.

All persons affected by this emergency closure are required to attend Court at 9:30 a.m. on the dates listed, which have been endorsed on everyone's court file.

Entered this 17th day of November 2020

BY THE COURT



Amanda Soper
A/Manager, Court Operations