



24 APRIL 2024

## DIRECTIVE

### FAMILY COURT MATTERS BEFORE HONOURABLE MADAM JUSTICE LENYAI

1. Kindly note that all family court matters which will be before Madam Justice Lenyai, as per the roll attached below, for the week of 29 April 2024-3 May 2024 will be heard in **Open Court at 10:00am. Kindly check court venue on the day roll please.**
2. Introductions will take place at 09:45am, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, office 2.12
3. If a draft order is to be made an order of court, one hard copy must be brought to be handed up in court. Draft Orders and settlement agreements, if applicable, must correctly indicate the Judge's name (Judge Lenyai), date on which the matter was heard, in which court and at the end of the draft order the party must indicate the name and contact details of their counsel and their instructing attorney.
4. In respect of unopposed divorces:
  - 5.1 Where there are children involved there must be an appearance by either the plaintiff or the defendant;
  - 5.2 Where there are no children involved then the matter may proceed on affidavit provided that the affidavits are uploaded by no later than Friday 26 April 2024.
6. In all opposed matters, if the parties settle or for any other reason decide that the matter is not to proceed, an email must be send immediately to Ms Maboho-  
[Hmaboho@judiciary.org.za](mailto:Hmaboho@judiciary.org.za)

**Yours sincerely**  
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