

PRACTICE DIRECTION 1/2007

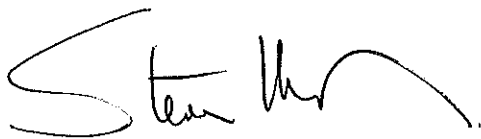
Committal Mentions at Magistrates Court, Perth

A review of the procedures imposed by Practice Direction 1/2006 has indicated little improvement in achieving the object of ensuring proper disclosure, appropriate charges, firm pleas and early presentation of indictments.

Practice Direction 1/2006 is hereby revoked.

Parties are still encouraged to seek an adjournment at disclosure/committal hearings where such an adjournment will ensure proper disclosure or appropriate charges.

Dated the 3rd day of December 2007

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steve M...', with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Chief Magistrate