
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 759

The Criminal Procedure Rules 2020

PART 3

CASE MANAGEMENT

GENERAL RULES

Case progression officers and their duties

- 3.4.**—(1) At the beginning of the case each party must, unless the court otherwise directs—
- (a) nominate someone responsible for progressing that case; and
 - (b) tell other parties and the court who that is and how to contact that person.
- (2) In fulfilling its duty under rule 3.2, the court must where appropriate—
- (a) nominate a court officer responsible for progressing the case; and
 - (b) make sure the parties know who that is and how to contact that court officer.
- (3) In this Part a person nominated under this rule is called a case progression officer.
- (4) A case progression officer must—
- (a) monitor compliance with directions;
 - (b) make sure that the court is kept informed of events that may affect the progress of that case;
 - (c) make sure that he or she can be contacted promptly about the case during ordinary business hours;
 - (d) act promptly and reasonably in response to communications about the case; and
 - (e) if he or she will be unavailable, appoint a substitute to fulfil his or her duties and inform the other case progression officers.

Commencement Information

II Rule 3.4 in force at 5.10.2020, see Preamble

Status:

Point in time view as at 15/08/2022.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Criminal Procedure Rules 2020, Section 3.4.