

## Summary Hearing Priority Protocol

File name & MAGS number if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Charges Proceeding to Trial:

Offence Title & Chg Number <i>(e.g. Public Nuisance Chg 5 of 6)</i>	Offence Date(s)

Hearing length estimate: \_\_\_\_\_

The parties agree the matter is ready to be listed for hearing for the following reasons (*tick applicable*):-

- The charges (tabled above) can be joined at one summary hearing
- The brief of evidence has been fully disclosed and received
- The defendant is remanded in custody only for the relevant charge(s)
- The matter was previously listed for hearing prior to the COVID19 Practice Directions and was delisted
- It has been more than 18 months since the first return
- The defendant is legally represented
- The defence have received instructions to contest the matter upon consideration of the disclosed brief
- There are no pre-trial issues to be finalised (e.g. disclosure requests or submissions have been answered)
- Case conferencing has been finalised & issues in contest determined
- Formal admissions have been made / settled (s148A Justices Act)
- The offence is not a fine only offence
- Witness availability has been determined

Other supporting factors for immediate listing:

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Please provide mutually suitable hearing dates (minimum of 5 dates):-

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
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*(sign & organisation)*

**For the Prosecution**

Print Name:

Date:

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*(sign & name of firm)*

**For the Defendant**

Print Name:

Date: