

SHERIFFDOM OF SOUTH STRATHCLYDE DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY

ORDER OF COURT

No 2 of 2023

SOLEMN BUSINESS

AIRDRIE AND HAMILTON SHERIFF COURTS

in Respect of the Transfer of Solemn Trial Diets

Introduction

All references in this Order to a Sheriff Court shall be construed as a reference to the relevant Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Court.

Due to exceptional circumstances which could not reasonably have been foreseen, it is not practicable for Airdrie Sheriff Court to proceed with some or all proceedings on indictment due to call at diets from 6 November 2023.

This Order transfers to Hamilton Sheriff Court some solemn trial diets which would ordinarily call at Airdrie Sheriff Court with effect from 6 November 2023 and dates thereafter.

This Order does not affect any other diet in solemn proceedings (including but not limited to First Diets, Continued First Diets, Diets in terms of Section 76 of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995 and Sentencing Diets).

This Order is made pursuant to the powers vested in me in terms of Sections 83ZA of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995.

Transfer of Solemn Trials from Airdrie Sheriff Court to Hamilton Sheriff Court

From 6 November 2023, I hereby Order that:

Solemn trial diets listed in the Schedule, which were due to call at Airdrie Sheriff Court on and after 6 November 2023, are adjourned to a trial diet at Hamilton Sheriff Court on the same date as the date to which the trial diet is next due to call.

Sheriff Principal Catherine Dowdalls KC

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Sheriffdom of South Strathclyde, Dumfries and Galloway

1 November 2023

Schedule

Date of trial being transferred	COLUMN A	COLUMN B
from Airdrie to Hamilton	Accused name	PF No
6 November 2023	Ryan McAleese and Stuart McDonald	AI23001478
13 November 2023	Mark McCabe & Lorraine Hutchison	Al23001252
13 November 2023	Gordon Lamond	Al21005180
5 December 2023	Ricky Sheridan	AI23002957
5 December 2023	James Dougal	AI21003208
5 December 2023	George Walker	AI23000475
13 December 2023	Jason Weir	Al23000798