

SUPREME COURT

PRACTICE DIRECTION No. 1 of 2004

In 2002 a restructure of the Registries of the higher Courts of Queensland at Brisbane was undertaken. This has involved the merging of the Supreme and District Courts Registries in Brisbane into the one central Registry. That Registry will now be designated

**“Higher Courts Registry
Supreme and District Courts
Brisbane”**

To accord appropriate recognition to the standing of the position held by the senior officer both of the restructured registries in Brisbane and all other higher Court Registries throughout Queensland, the position will now be designated

“Principal Registrar”

For the purposes of legislation, rules, regulations and the like the Principal Registrar will assume the roles, powers, authorities, delegations and the like assigned to the positions hitherto designated Registrar Supreme Court and Registrar District Court, Brisbane.

To achieve consistency in practices and procedures of the higher Courts Registries throughout the State relating to the management of cases, regular contacts and conferences with Registrars of other centres and the Principal Registrar are to be undertaken as necessary or desirable.

P.de Jersey
Chief Justice
19 December 2003

P.M.Wolfe
Chief Judge
19 December 2003