

Supreme and District Courts Criminal Directions Benchbook

Update Notes – 12 March 2024

- 1. 10: Child Witnesses: 93A Statements**
Remove No. 10.1 to 10.2 and replace with No. 10.1 to 10.4
- 2. 36: Defendant’s out-of-court admissions or self-serving statements – including police interviews and pre-text calls**
Remove No. 36.1 to 36.10 and replace with No. 36.1 to 36.10
- 3. 48: Circumstantial Evidence**
Remove No. 48.1 to 48.2 and replace with No. 48.1 to 48.2
- 4. 68: Preliminary Complaint: s4A**
Remove No.68.1 to 68.4 and replace with No. 68.1 to 68.6
- 5. 125: Circumstances of Aggravation in Sexual Offences**
Remove No. 125.1 to 125.2 and replace with No. 125.1 to 125.4
- 6. 17: Dismissal During the Trial of Some Charges Against Single Defendant**
Remove No. 17.1 and replace with No.17.1 to 17.2
- 7. 2: Table of Cases**
Remove No. 2.1 to 2.36 and replace with No. 2.1 to 2.35