# Supreme and District Courts Criminal Directions Benchbook Update Notes – 19 March 2025

#### 1. Chapter 58 – Expert Witnesses

- Replace entire chapter 58 with attached updated chapter 58.

### 2. Chapter 75 – Accessory After the Fact: s 10

- Replace entire chapter 75 with attached updated chapter 75.

#### 3. Chapter 194 – Using the Internet to Procure Children under 16: s 218A

- Replace entire chapter 194 with attached updated chapter 194.

### 4. Chapter 5 – Unpresented Defendant

- Replace entire chapter 5 with attached updated chapter 5.

#### 5. Chapter 48 – Circumstantial Evidence

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#### 6. Chapter 72 – Conspiracy

- Replace entire chapter 72 with attached updated chapter 72.

#### 7. Chapter 85 – Capacity: s 29

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#### 8. Chapter 86 – Compulsion: s 31(1)(c)

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#### 9. Chapter 87 – Compulsion: s 31(1)(d)

- Replace entire chapter 87 with attached updated chapter 87.

## 10. Chapter 127 – Corruption of a Witness: s 127

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#### 11. Chapter 130 – Deprivation of Liberty: s 355

- Replace entire chapter 130 with attached updated chapter 130.

#### 12. Chapter 196 – Wilful Damage: s 469

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