Supreme and District Courts Criminal Directions Benchbook Update Notes – 27 November 2023

1. Chapter 3A: Domestic and Family Violence Protection (Combating Coercive Control) and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2023

Remove No. 3A.1 to 3A.2.

2. Lies told by the defendant (going only to credit): Chapter 39 Remove No. 39.1 to 39.4 and replace with No. 39.1 to 39.3.

3. Lies told by the defendant (consciousness of guilt): Chapter 40 Remove No. 40.1 and replace with No. 40.1 to 40.5.

- 4. Flight and other post offence conduct as demonstrating consciousness of guilt: Chapter 50 Remove No. 50.1 to 50.2 and replace with No. 50.1. to 50.5.
- 5. Procuring young person etc for penile intercourse (offences charged after 1 August 2023): s 217(1) Chapter 152A

NEW: Insert No. 152A.1 to 152A.4.