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PRACTICE DIRECTION

This Practice Direction applies to the dress for lawyers appearing in chambers (Magistrates Courts, Supreme Court and Court of Appeal), save the Island Courts.

The dress for lawyers appearing in chambers will be:-

Males - White shirt, long or short-sleeved,
Tie mandatory, must be sober;
Black or dark coloured trousers, unpatterned,
Black or dark coloured shoes or formal sandals,
No sport shoes, trainers, thongs etc.

Females - White blouse or shirt, long or short-sleeved,
Black or dark coloured skirt or trousers unpatterned,
Black or dark coloured shoes or formal sandals,
No sports shoes, trainers, thongs etc.

This is a relaxation of current dress requirements. Lawyers' dress in chambers must be smart. If this Practice Direction is not followed then the current requirements will be reinstated. This Practice Direction applies to chambers hearing only.

DATED at PORT-VILA this 13th DAY of FEBRUARY 2002


Lunabek Vincent
Chief Justice

