

District Court Criminal Practice Note 10

Work Health and Safety Act Prosecutions

The following arrangements are to apply from the date of commencement of the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011*.

1. A summons issued pursuant to the District Court Rules, Part 53 Rule 26, shall be returnable before the Sydney District Court on the first Friday 6 weeks following the date of issue.
2. The summons should be served within 7 days of the date of issue. A copy of this Practice Note is to be served with the summons.
3. The defendant or the defendant's legal representative is to file with the court and serve on the prosecutor a *Notice of Appearance* in the approved form within 7 days of service of the summons.
4. The prosecution is to serve the brief of evidence on the defendant's legal representative within 14 days of service of the *Notice of Appearance*.

The Hon. Justice R.O.Blanch A.M.
CHIEF JUDGE
6 December 2011

The form of ***Notice of Appearance*** referred to in District Court Criminal Practice Note 10 is published hereunder.

Notice of Appearance

Court: District Court

Location: Sydney

Registry Address: Downing Centre, 143-147 Liverpool St, Sydney NSW 2000

Case Number:

Title of Proceedings

Prosecutor:

Defendant:

Filing Details

Filed for:

Legal representative:

Reference:

Contact name:

Contact telephone:

Address for service:

Signature

Signature of legal representative:

Date of signature: