NOTICE

PROVINCIAL COURT OF MANITOBA (WINNIPEG CENTRE)

RE: Scheduling of Youth Court Matters

In an effort to ensure the effective use of court resources and address the changing needs of youth criminal justice matters and the Provincial Court, youth matters will be scheduled as follows:

IN-CUSTODY MATTERS:

- All in-custody youth matters will be heard at the Manitoba Youth Centre (MYC) unless prior judicial authorization for a hearing at 408 York Avenue or other judicial centre is obtained;
- MYC will sit regularly from Monday to Friday, beginning at 1:00 p.m. Disposition slots will be available through the Youth Disposition Coordinator (<u>youthpcdispos@gov.mb.ca</u>). Bail applications, consent releases and in-custody remands will be heard after the dispositions;
- All special sittings, including bails, dispositions and conferences will be scheduled at 10:00 a.m. Monday to Friday through the Youth Disposition Coordinator.

OUT OF CUSTODY MATTERS:

• Courtrooms 401 and 303 will no longer be used for youth dispositions. Going forward, all out of custody dispositions will be booked in available slots Monday to Friday in courtroom 307 at 10:00 a.m. or 2:00 p.m., or at MYC at 10:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m. through the Youth Disposition Coordinator.

All youth matters being set for trial will be case managed prior to being scheduled. Scheduling of youth trials and case management conferences will remain the same. Specific "youth case management" slots will be identified on the website.

These scheduling changes will be effective as of February 6, 2023.

ISSUED BY:

"Original signed by:"

The Honourable Chief Judge Margaret Wiebe Provincial Court of Manitoba

DATE: January 5, 2023