



Announcement

Change to Scheduling Process Assignment Court Scheduling in Port Coquitlam February 3, 2014

As part of the Provincial Court Scheduling Project, the Assignment Court will begin sitting in Port Coquitlam in July 2014. In the transition to Assignment Court, changes are about to get underway to the scheduling process at the Port Coquitlam courthouse.

Effective **Monday, February 3, 2014**, any trial or hearing scheduled for a date past July 7, 2014 with a time estimate that is a half day or longer, will be set to an Assignment Court list on the trial date. The returnable time will be either 9:00 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.

Counsel and parties on cases scheduled to an Assignment Court list will be required to appear in the designated courtroom at 9:00 a.m. (or 1:30 p.m.) to advise the Court as to their readiness to proceed to trial or hearing. If a trial or hearing has been confirmed as proceeding, the JCM will direct the parties to a courtroom and a judge will be assigned to begin the hearing.

For further information on Assignment Court and the Provincial Court Scheduling Project, please inquire at the Port Coquitlam JCM office.

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