

CHILDREN'S COURT OF VICTORIA

PRACTICE DIRECTION

No. 5 of 2006

ADJOURNMENTS

This Practice Direction is issued pursuant to Section 280D of the *Children and Young Persons Act 1989*.

Purpose:

To ensure that the hearing of each application before the Family Division of the Court is not subject to unnecessary and repeat adjournments, and that each adjournment is in the best interests of the child or children the subject of the proceedings.

Except with the leave of the Court, every application for an adjournment must be accompanied by a filed adjournment application sheet in the form below

Judge Jennifer Coate

President

Children's Court of Victoria

15 March 2006

ADJOURNMENT APPLICATION- CHILDREN'S COURT = FAMILY DIVISION *This form MUST be filed whenever next listing is for "Mention" only.

CHILD(REN)	DATE	
Applicant for Adjournme	ent (Insert name of Applicant):	· · ·
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Mother	contests / consents / does not contest	
Father	contests / consents / does not contest	
Child	contests / consents / does not contest	
Other	contests / consents / does not contest	
rounds of Application:		
		
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Granted / Refused		
Granted / Refused Reasons for Decision		
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Reasons for Decision		
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Reasons for Decision Costs Application: Yes Refused / Reserved / A	/ No Opposed / Unopposed	
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