

Youth Justice Act 2025

Rule 2.06H

Form 6D

CASE DIRECTION NOTICE

IN THE CHILDREN'S COURT
OF VICTORIA AT _____

Court Reference: _____

BETWEEN

Informant:

V

Accused:

To: The Registrar

TAKE NOTICE that-

- ☐ the ☐accused/ ☐accused's legal practitioner has read the brief of evidence; and
- ☐ the DPP or informant has read the brief of evidence; and
- ☐ the accused and the DPP or informant have discussed whether this matter can be resolved by ☐ a plea / ☐ pleas of guilty and, if so, on what charge(s); and
- ☐ the accused and the DPP or informant propose that this committal proceeding be dealt with as follows-

- ☐ 1. The court should determine the committal proceeding at the committal mention hearing. If committed for trial, how does the accused intend to plead?

☐ Guilty ☐Not Guilty ☐ Not applicable (charge to be withdrawn)

(If there is more than one charge, and the answers to these questions are not the same for all charges, list the charges separately or in groups and provide answers in relation to each charge or group of charges)

☐ Basis of indication of intention to plead

(If the accused indicates an intention to plead on a particular basis or bases, briefly indicate that basis or those bases. For example - The indication is made without prejudice in the course of negotiations to settle the matter. The indication is made on the basis that the informant will withdraw particular charges.)

- ☐ 2. The parties seek a determination that a committal case conference is not required to be held. The grounds for the request are:

(Insert grounds for request)

- ☐ 3. The issues identified by the parties to be addressed at the committal case Conference are:
(insert brief description of issues)

- ☐ 4. The accused will apply for a summary hearing of the following charge(s):

Charge number(s):	Proposed Plea:	
(List each charge for which there will be an application for a summary hearing)	(Guilty/Not Guilty)	
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
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	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty
	☐ Guilty	☐ Not Guilty

- ☐ 5. The accused will apply for leave to cross examine the following witness/s:

Name of witness	Does the informant oppose leave being granted?	Issue, Relevance & justification (Indicate the issue or issues identified by the accused to which the proposed questioning relates, how the accused considers cross examination of the witness on the issue(s) is directly and substantially relevant to the issue(s) and the accused's reasons why, in the interests of justice, the witness should be cross-examined on the issue(s), including why the accused is of the view that these reasons are substantial reasons)	Opposition (Indicate why the informant opposes leave being granted)
	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	☐ Yes ☐ No		

	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	☐ Yes ☐ No		

☐ 6. The particulars of previous convictions of any witness on whose evidence the prosecution intends to rely in the committal proceeding.

☐ 7. The parties seek a ground rules hearing

☐ 8. The accused seeks the production of an item or items listed in the hand-up brief and the informant objects to the production of item or items:

Item	Ground for objection
<i>(describe the item(s))</i>	<i>(indicate the informant's ground for objecting to producing the item)</i>

☐ 9. The accused seeks the production of an item or items not included in the hand-up brief.

☐ 10. The prosecution did not describe the following in the disclosure certificate served on the accused under section 110A of the **Criminal Procedure Act 2009**—

Information, document or thing	Nature of privilege, immunity, prohibition or restriction
<i>[Describe the information, document or thing (including any detail relating to the information, document or thing) that was not described in the disclosure certificate]</i>	<i>[Describe the privilege, immunity, prohibition or restriction to which the information, document or thing is subject]</i>

☐ 11. The accused is ☐ prepared/☐ not prepared to proceed with the committal hearing while a forensic procedure, examination or test described in the hand-up brief remains incomplete.

☐ 12. The accused and the DPP or informant seek an adjournment of the committal proceeding.

Reason for adjournment:

Dated: _____

Signature of ☐ accused/☐ accused's legal practitioner: _____

Name: _____

Firm: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Dated: _____

Signature for or on behalf of the DPP or informant: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____