

Magistrates Court (Minor Cases Procedure) Amendment Rules (No. 2) 2016

Made by the Magistrates Court in accordance with the *Magistrates Court Act 2004* section 39.

1. Citation

These rules are the *Magistrates Court (Minor Cases Procedure) Amendment Rules (No. 2) 2016*.

2. Commencement

These rules come into operation as follows —

- (a) rules 1 and 2 — on the day on which these rules are published in the *Gazette*;
- (b) the rest of the rules — on the day after that day.

3. Rules amended

These rules amend the *Magistrates Court (Minor Cases Procedure) Rules 2005*.

4. Rule 4 amended

In rule 4 insert in alphabetical order:

administrative staff member means a person referred to in the *Magistrates Court Act 2004* section 26(1);

departmental officer means a person employed in the department of the Public Service principally assisting in the administration of the *Magistrates Court Act 2004*;

5. Rule 52 amended

- (1) Delete rule 52(1) and insert:

- (1) You may ask an enforcement officer, an administrative staff member or a departmental officer to serve a document for you.
- (1A) If an enforcement officer, administrative staff member or departmental officer serves a document for you, that person must, as soon as practicable after the service, give you a certificate of the service.

(2) In rule 52(3) delete “officer.” and insert:

officer, administrative staff member or departmental officer.

6. Rule 53 amended

In rule 53(1) delete “officer” and insert:

officer, administrative staff member or departmental officer

Mr STEVEN HEATH, Chief Magistrate,
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Date 15 April 2016.
