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JUDGE PRESIDENT'S PRACTICE DIRECTIVES

TO: 1. ALL LEGAL PRACTITIONERS

2. REGISTRARS

RE: RULE 41A OF THE UNIFORM RULES OF COURT

- 1. The provisions of Rule 41A regarding mediation has been in operation for a year by now. It is noted that legal practitioners still do not comply with the Rule when instituting proceedings (actions and motions).
- 2. I hereby make an appeal to all legal practitioners to comply with the Rule when they issue the proceedings. Henceforth the Registrar will decline to issue the Court process unless the Rule has been complied with.
- 3. With effect from the 1st of September 2021, the Court will decline to hear the matter but strike same from the roll where the Rule has not been complied with.

Kind regards

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JUDGE PRESIDENT OF THE HIGH COURT,

LIMPOPO DIVISION

