

Defended matter request

*Send this to the Commission with the legal aid application form when your client applies for aid for a matter that has already been listed for trial **and** for which there is, in your opinion, a meritorious defence.*

Full name of client

Offence(s) charged, indicating which charges are defended *(attach copy summons, or if this not available, list below)*

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Outline of proposed defence(s), comments on evidence and merit:

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Date of trial?/...../..... **Estimated length of trial?**.....

Where will it be heard? **Who is counsel?**

Are there prospects of a negotiated resolution? *(circle)* YES / NO

DISBURSEMENTS CLAIMED FOR TRIAL			
Proposed expert witnesses	Quoted cost	Any other disbursements (eg photocopying)	Cost
	\$		\$
	\$		\$
	\$		\$
	\$		\$

Is a fee remission certificate needed? *(circle)* YES / NO **If YES, what for?**

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Signature of solicitor

Date/...../..... Solicitor's name *(in capitals)*