



**THE HIGH COURT OF NEW ZEALAND
TE KŌTI MATUA O AOTEAROA**

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**HIGH COURT AUCKLAND
TE KŌTI MATUA O TĀMAKI MAKĀURAU**

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

Duty Judge: THE HON. JUSTICE TANTRUM

NO LG 1 COURT BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE MOUNT

Lower Ground Floor

10.00am

CIV2023-404-2247 RUAKAKA SUPERVALUE LIMITED v
(J B M Smith KC, R L Pinny, H Yang,
M K Ropati)

WOOLWORTHS NEW ZEALAND LTD & ORS
(Z G Kennedy KC, J Edwards,
P H G Bogle, Y Fu)
Civil proceeding under the Fair-Trading Act 1986

NO LG 2 COURT BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE GAULT

Lower Ground Floor

9.15am

COMMERCIAL LIST – Applications List

10.00am

COMMERCIAL LIST – Directions List



NO 1 COURT BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE GARDINER

Ground Floor (Old Building)

9:00am

ADMISSION CEREMONY



NO 1 COURT BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE POWELL

Ground Floor (Old Building)

10:30am

ADMISSION CEREMONY



NO 1 COURT **BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE van BOHEMEN**
Ground Floor (Old Building)

12:00pm

ADMISSION CEREMONY



NO 1 COURT **BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE KAWHARU**
Ground Floor (Old Building)

2:15pm

ADMISSION CEREMONY

NO 4 COURT
Ground Floor
9.00am

BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE POWELL

CRIMINAL APPEALS CALLOVER

NO 5 COURT
Ground Floor
9:00am

BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE WILKINSON-SMITH

CRIME PROCEEDS LIST

NO 9 COURT
First Floor
10.00am

BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE ARTHUR

CIV2024-404-3285 JOHN PETER BROOM & ANOR v BIOACTIVES RESEARCH NEW ZEALAND
(B J Burt) LIMITED (FORMERLY KNOWN AS
(K Crossland) GRENLAND LIMITED) & ANOR
Civil Claim

NO 11 COURT
First Floor
11.00am

BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE TANTRUM

CRI2026-404-207 QUINTON TE-WHARE v NZ POLICE
(JY Yi) (MC)
Appeal against Refusal to Grant EM Bail

CRI2026-404-218 NIGEL EDWARDS v NZ POLICE
(TLK Chan) (KFW)
Appeal against Refusal to Grant Bail

CRI2026-404-224 ANDREW KIMIORA v THE KING
CRI2026-404-225 (MGH Jenkins) (YC Hounsome)
Appeal against Refusal to Grant EM Bail Variation

COURTROOM 4 **BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE PAULSEN**
SECOND FLOOR

10:00am

CIV-2025-406-22 ACCIDENT COMPENSATION v PETER JOHN FIRMIN
CORPORATION (Self-Represented)
(H Evans) Defended – Substantive

COURTROOM 11 **BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE EATON**
THIRD FLOOR

10:00am

CRI-2025-009-2693 THE KING v TYLER CAMERON HODGKINSON
(A Harvey) (B Holstein)
Sentencing

COURTROOM 12 **BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE MANDER**
THIRD FLOOR

9:15am

PRE-TRIAL CALLOVERS

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HIGH COURT DUNEDIN
TE KŌTI MATUA O OTEPOTI

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

No Scheduled Sitings

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HIGH COURT GISBORNE
TE KŌTI MATUA O TURANGANUI-A-KIWA

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

No Scheduled Sitings

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**HIGH COURT GREYMOUTH
TE KŌTI MATUA O MAWHERA**

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

No Scheduled Sitings

Media Inquiries:

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**HIGH COURT HAMILTON
TE KŌTI MATUA O KIRIKIROA**

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

No Scheduled Sitings

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**HIGH COURT INVERCARGILL
TE KŌTI MATUA O WAIHOPAI**

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

No Scheduled Sitings

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**HIGH COURT NAPIER
TE KŌTI MATUA O AHURIRI**

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

COURTROOM 2
9:00am

BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE GRAU

AVL to Wellington

CRIMINAL CALLOVER LIST

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HIGH COURT NELSON TE KŌTI MATUA O WHAKATU

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

**BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE MANDER AND JURY via VIRTUAL MEETING ROOM FROM CHRISTCHURCH
HIGH COURT**

10:00am

CRI-2025-042-2 THE KING v HAYDEN DONALD JASON TASKER
(M O'Donoghue) (M Zintl)
Jury Trial

Media Inquiries: *Civil Jurisdiction* *Amelia Nicholson* *03 962 4371*
Criminal Jurisdiction *Joshua Chin* *03 962 4261*

HIGH COURT NEW PLYMOUTH TE KŌTI MATUA O NGAMOTU

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

COURTROOM 1 **BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE MCQUEEN AND JURY**

10:00am

CRI-2024-043-1361 THE KING v STEFAN HANNON MCGINN
FTR (C Clarke, P Lange, C Fatiaki) (S Brickell, N Manning)
ETHAN HOWE
(N Dutch, J Tarrant)
Jury trial
Murder (2)
Arson (2)

Media Inquiries: *Civil Jurisdiction* *Sheena Spiers* *04 914 3619*
Criminal Jurisdiction *Carol Brookie* *06 349 0752*

HIGH COURT PALMERSTON NORTH TE KŌTI MATUA O TE PAPAIOEA

Friday the 8th Day of May 2026

No Scheduled Sittings

Media Inquiries: *Civil Jurisdiction* *Sheena Spiers* *04 914 3619*
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