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Jabatan Kehakiman,  
Mahkamah Tinggi,  
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Kapada Semua -

Penolong Kanan Pendaftar/Penolong Pendaftar, Mahkamah2 Tinggi.  
Pendaftar Kanan/Pendaftar, Mahkamah2 Seshen.  
Yang di-Pertua Khas/Yang di-Pertua Kanan/Yang di-Pertua  
Mahkamah2 Seshen.  
Mejisteret2, Mahkamah Mejisteret.

REGISTRAR'S CIRCULAR NO. 6 OF 1972

Hearing of Part-Heard Cases due to transfer  
of Magistrates/Presidents.

Magistrates and Presidents of Sessions Courts have long been directed that, before proceeding on transfer to another Court, every effort should be made by them to dispose finally of pending part-heard cases. The Honourable the Chief Justice notes with concern that these instructions have all too frequently been disregarded, with the result that there has been considerable wastage of public funds incurred needlessly on travelling expenses as well as loss of time spent in travelling to and fro which would otherwise be devoted to Court proceedings.

The Honourable the Chief Justice therefore orders and directs that transferred Magistrates and Presidents will not hereafter return to their former Courts to continue and complete the hearing of any part-heard cases, whether civil or criminal, unless express permission to do so is given by the Honourable the Chief Justice or a Judge. Where such permission is applied for, the Magistrate or President shall do so in writing, enclosing with his application the file in the relevant case. The succeeding Magistrate or President is hereby directed, in civil proceedings to follow the provisions of Order 19 rule 11 of the Subordinate Courts Rules and, in criminal matters, section 261 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

This directive is to be effective from September 1, 1972, and past instructions to the contrary are hereby cancelled.



( ABU BAKAR BIN AWANG )  
b.p. PENDAFTAR.

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Semua Setiausaha2 kpd. Tuan2 Hakim.