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DEPARTMENT OF JUDICIARY

LEGAL VACATION FOR THE SUPREME COURT

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to Section 110 of the *Supreme Court Act 2018*, I hereby declare that the Legal Vacation for the Supreme Court shall commence on 11 December 2026 and conclude on 15 January 2027.

During the **legal vacation**, the business of the Supreme Court will be conducted as follows:

(1) No criminal or civil cases or matters will be heard except by the direction of a Judge or the Registrar of Courts;

(2) The Registry will be opened for the ordinary course of business from Monday to Friday each week between the hours of 10.00am and 12.00 noon;

(3) In cases involving urgent or exceptional circumstances, applications may be made to the Registrar of Courts or the Court Officer on duty; and

(4) The time of the legal vacation shall not be reckoned in the computation of the time appointed or allowed by the *Civil Procedure Rule 1972* for amending, delivery, or filing of any pleadings.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Supreme Court this 5th day of November 2026.

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Hon. J. Jay Udit
CHIEF JUSTICE