

**IN THE STATE COURTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE**

**REGISTRAR'S CIRCULAR NO. 8 OF 2014**

**LAUNCH OF THE INTEGRATED ELECTRONIC LITIGATION SYSTEM FOR PROCEEDINGS IN THE  
NEW FAMILY JUSTICE COURTS**

Electronic filing through the Integrated Electronic Litigation System (eLitigation) will commence for all proceedings in the new Family Justice Courts with effect from Wednesday, 1 October 2014.

2. During the Family Justice Courts Transition Period from 14:00 hours on Saturday, 27 September 2014 to 10:00 hours on Wednesday, 1 October 2014 (both dates inclusive), there will be no electronic filing service for matters in the current Family and Juvenile Justice Division of the State Courts.

3. To facilitate the commencement of eLitigation for matters in the new Family Justice Courts, there will also be no electronic filing service for matters in the Civil Justice Division of the State Courts during the following Civil Justice Division Transition Periods:

- (a) from 14:00 hours on Saturday, 27 September 2014 to 06:00 hours on Monday, 29 September 2014 (both dates inclusive), and
- (b) from 00:00 hours on Tuesday, 30 September 2014 to 00:00 hours on Wednesday, 1 October 2014 (both dates inclusive),

4. Any solicitor with filing deadlines or any urgent application to make during the Family Justice Courts Transition Period or the Civil Justice Division Transition Periods may proceed to see the Duty Registrar in the Family and Juvenile Justice Division, or the Duty Registrar in the Civil Justice Division of the State Courts (as appropriate), for directions. The Duty Registrar in either Justice Division may —

- (a) grant an extension of time for the filing of the application or document on or after 1 October 2014;
- (b) grant leave for the application or document to be filed in hard copy on the solicitor's undertaking to file the same electronically on or after 1 October 2014; or
- (c) make such other order as may be appropriate in the circumstances.

5. For additional information, please refer to the eLitigation website at <https://www.elitigation.sg/GetReady/index.html>.

Dated this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 2014.



JENNIFER MARIE  
REGISTRAR  
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