



**SUPREME COURT
OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA**
Stirling Gardens
Barrack Street
Perth WA 6000

MEDIA ALERT

26 April, 2006

Chief Justice Swearing In & Welcome

Mr Wayne Martin QC will be sworn in as the new Chief Justice of Western Australia at Government House tomorrow, **Thursday, 27 April, 2006 at 4.30pm**. The welcoming ceremony will be held at the Supreme Court on **Monday, 1 May, at 9.30am**.

His Excellency Dr Ken Michael, Governor of Western Australia, will perform the swearing-in ceremony in the Government House Dining Room.

Only **one camera** will be permitted at Government House to film the proceedings. Television stations are asked to make their own pooling arrangements. Sound can be used, but no lighting will be permitted. Pooling arrangements are not required for press photographers. Interested media representatives should report to the security post within Government House grounds by 4.15pm.

A special sitting of the Full Bench of the Supreme Court will be held in Court 1 to formally welcome Mr Martin to the bench.

Please note that only **one camera** will be permitted in Courtroom 1 to film the proceedings. Television stations are asked to make their own pooling arrangements. Sound can be used, but no lighting will be permitted. Cameras should set up by 9.15 am. Pooling arrangements are not required for press photographers.

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