



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

MEDIA ALERT

21 June, 2007

New Supreme Court Judges

Mr Andrew Beech will be sworn in as a judge of the Supreme Court of Western Australia at Government House on **Monday, 25 June, 2007 at 8.45am**, followed by a welcoming ceremony at the Supreme Court **at 9.30am**.

Master David Newnes will also be sworn in as a judge of the Supreme Court on Monday morning.

His Excellency Dr Ken Michael, Governor of Western Australia, will perform the swearing-in ceremonies 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. Interested media representatives should report to the security post within Government House grounds by 8.30am.

A special sitting of the General Division of the Supreme Court will be held in Court 1 to formally welcome Mr Beech 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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