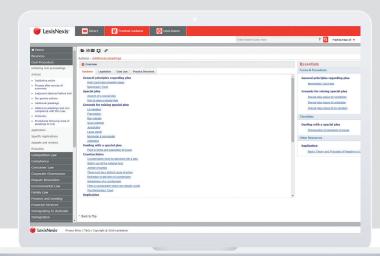


# Civil Procedure



# A practical legal 'how to' guide

Acquire a practical understanding of Civil Procedure related court rules and other key legislation. With a strong emphasis on practical aids, Lexis® Practical Guidance will assist you in launching applications and initiating actions. It provides step-by-step guidance to practice and procedure in the Magistrates' Court and High Court and is supported by practice directives from the various provinces, as well as references to the Magistrates' Court Rules and the High Court Rules.

### Why Lexis® Practical Guidance: Civil Procedure?

With a comprehensive overview on the rules to be followed in the Magistrates' and High Courts within South Africa, *Lexis® Practical Guidance Civil Procedure* provides legal practitioners with direct online access to critical, up-to-date Civil Procedure information and guidance that you can rely on.

Now you can easily acquire a practical understanding of Civil Procedure, the related court rules and other key legislation, without losing the intricate details of the law. Users have convenient online access to current legislation and case law, as well as guidance notes, practice directives, checklists, forms and precedents that are authored and updated by expert practitioners.

## **Stay compliant**

Practical Guidance is a comprehensive online toolkit. Acting as a quick reference guide, a precedent bank and a trusted resource tool, this easy-to-navigate online resource gives you detailed, up-to-date information across 30 Civil Procedure topics and offers over 290 forms, precedents, checklists and other resources for practical implementation. The result? Speedy access to accurate and relevant information, expert opinion, and practical resources in a user-friendly format on a single platform.

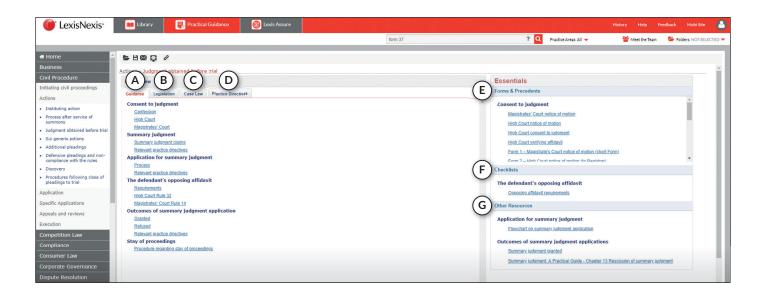
# Who should use this guide?

- Candidate attorneys
- Attorneys
- Advocates
- Legal advisors
- Legal officers

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### **Resources include:**

- Over 30 topic overviews
- Over 120 guidance notes, including practical process aids
- Up-to-date judgments for reference
- Practice directives for the various courts within South Africa
- Over 290 customisable forms, precedents, checklists and other resources to ensure not a single step is missed, including:
- Summons
- Particulars of claim
- Pleas, including special pleas
- Discovery notices
- Settlement agreements
- Applications
- Affidavits



### **A Guidance Notes**

Over 30 topic overviews and over 120 guidance notes. Civil Procedure guidance notes provide clear and concise explanations regarding the procedures, rules and regulations used in the High Court, Regional Court, Magistrates Court and Supreme Court of Appeal. In addition, the forms and precedents, practice directives and other resources that supplement the guidance notes lead to a practical understanding of Civil Procedure.

### **B** Legislation

Civil Procedure provides access to the most relevant and up-to-date legislation, including:

- Civil Proceedings Evidence Act 25 of 1965
- Consumer Protection Act 68 of 2008
- Magistrates' Courts Act 32 of 1944
- Matrimonial Property Act 88 of 1984
- Mediation in Certain Divorce Matters Act 24 of 1987
- Promotion of Administrative Justice Act 3 of 2000
- Superior Courts Act 10 of 2013
- Supreme Court Act 59 of 1959

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### C Case Law

The Case Law tab provides access to precedent setting judgments. This case law is also discussed and unpacked within the relevant guidance note.

### **D** Practice Directives

Practical advice on how to interpret the rules of court.

### **E** Forms and Precedents

Over 290 forms and precedents. Provides access to customisable precedents with drafting tips and downloadable forms. There are precedents to the various actions that may be instituted and applications brought as well as the applicable and relevant legal forms that are commonly used.

# **F** Checklists

Over 10 checklists. Checklists provide step-by-step information on how to draft various applications and affidavits.

### **G** Other Resources

Over 60 other resources. Contains guides, flowcharts and relevant practical aids that provide useful information allowing you to execute tasks accurately.

