URN 01/YE/12679/25, for case 1 of Incident dated: **02/08/2025**

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Urgent Email to the Court's Listing Office

Subject: URN [Insert URN] – Application to Adjourn Trial – Mr. Simon Paul Cordell

Dear Listing Officer,

I am writing in relation to **Case 1 – URN [Insert URN]**, in which I am the defendant, currently listed for trial on **[Insert trial date]**.

Please find attached my **Adjournment Application** together with a **Supporting Witness Availability Schedule**. This application is made on the grounds that two key defence witnesses, **Miss Sheila Lewis** and **Mr. Shead**, are unavailable on the current trial date for reasons outside their control. Both witnesses have attended the previous two listed trial dates and have provided Section 9 statements and supporting documentation.

Their evidence is material to the defence, and proceeding without them would cause significant prejudice and undermine the fairness of the trial. I therefore respectfully request that the court consider this application and relist the matter for a date when both witnesses are able to attend.

I would be grateful if you could confirm receipt of this email and advise whether the application will be placed before the court or listed for a short hearing.

Thank you for your assistance.

Adjournment Application – Case 1

To: The Court
Re: Application to Adjourn Trial – Case 1
URN: [Insert URN for Case 1]
Defendant: Mr. Simon Paul Cordell
Trial Date: [Insert current trial date]
Court: [Insert court name]

Application Summary

I respectfully apply for an adjournment of the trial listed above on the grounds that two key defence witnesses — **Miss Sheila Lewis** and **Mr. Shead** — are currently unavailable to attend on the scheduled date, despite having previously attended earlier hearings and having provided signed Section 9 witness statements. Their evidence is central to the defence, and proceeding without them would cause significant prejudice and undermine the fairness of the trial.

Grounds for Adjournment

1. Witness Unavailability

Miss Sheila Lewis

- She is currently abroad on a pre-booked family holiday arranged by her son.
- She attended the previous two trial dates and has always made herself available.
- Her absence on the current date is due to circumstances outside her control.
- She has provided flight tickets and written confirmation of her willingness to attend if the trial is re-listed.

Mr. Shead

- He is dealing with private family matters that prevent him from attending on the current date.
- He also attended the previous two trial dates.
- He has confirmed his willingness to attend if the trial is rescheduled.

Both witnesses have demonstrated consistent commitment to attending court and supporting the defence.

2. Procedural Irregularities Affecting Witness Attendance

There have been significant procedural issues in this case which directly contributed to the current situation:

- **Fake Restraining Order (RO) paperwork** was generated and placed on the system, causing confusion and preventing earlier hearings from progressing properly.
- The CPS and police **reused a URN that had previously been marked as "No Further Action"**, causing administrative and listing errors.
- **Tuckers Solicitors Failed To Lodge Legal Aid Receipts:** for previous trial dates, which resulted in those hearings not being properly actioned or attended.
- These failures caused multiple trial dates to collapse through no fault of the defence or the witnesses.

Miss Lewis attended the previous two trial dates in good faith, but due to the above procedural failures, the hearings did not proceed. Her son had already booked and paid for her holiday, and she cannot now change those arrangements.

3. Material Relevance of Witnesses

- Both witnesses are **central to the defence case**.
- Their evidence directly **rebuts key elements of the prosecution's account**.
- Their absence would **severely prejudice the defence** and prevent the court from hearing material evidence.
- The interests of justice require that the defence be permitted to call its witnesses.

4. Supporting Evidence

- Section 9 statements for both witnesses have already been submitted to the CPS.
- Flight documentation and written explanations have been provided.
- Evidence of their prior attendance at earlier trial dates is available.
- No response has been received from the CPS or from Tuckers Solicitors regarding the witness availability or the procedural issues raised.

Supporting Witness Availability Schedule (Table Format)

Witness Name	Status	Previous Attendance	Reason for Unavailability on Current Trial Date	Supporting Evidence Provided	Availability for Relisted Trial
Miss Sheila Lewis	Defence witness	Attended the last two listed trial dates in person and was ready to give evidence	Abroad on a pre-booked family holiday arranged by her son; booking made before the current trial date was set; cannot alter travel due to cost and contractual restrictions	Flight tickets; written confirmation of travel dates; confirmation of willingness to attend a future date	Available immediately upon return to the UK; fully willing to attend any new date set by the court
Mr. Shead	Defence witness	Attended the last two listed trial dates in person and was ready to give evidence	Currently dealing with private family matters requiring immediate attention; unable to attend on the present date	Written explanation confirming unavailability; confirmation of willingness to attend a future date	Available for any future date once the trial is relisted

Request to the Court

I respectfully request that the trial be adjourned and relisted for a future date that allows both witnesses to attend in person. This application is made in the interests of justice, fairness, and to ensure that the defence case can be properly presented without prejudice.

P.s.

The files that were said to have been disclosed as served by Tuckers solicitor firm as the CPS Comon Platform case disclosure are in question as to their reliability as I am being forced to act Litigant due to a fake Ro Order being developed by them my [X Solicitor Firm!] “Tuckers Solicitors. The files are said to being reserved upon me but have not yet arrived as of today’s date 31/01/26 the trial date is set for 24/08/26 and does not leave fair time to compare files and create any needed defence Material

Signed:
Mr. Simon Paul Cordell
[Date]