



# Release Notes

## Remote Courtroom Scheduling (RCS)

Release 4.9

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### Crown Time Estimates

Crown has the ability now to record Crown Time Estimate in the Crown File Management system for the following appearance types: bail hearing, summary disposition, preliminary hearing and trial.

Crown Time Estimate values are shared with RCS for informational purposes only so that defence counsel is aware of how much time does Crown require for their case.

Crown Time Estimate is displayed in the Requirements screen once the appearance type is selected. CASS user is still required to select the time required for the hearing booked.

Welcome Sherri Stasuk [ Sign Out ]

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Reading of Charge(s) Waived

Counsel on behalf of the accused, confirms that they have instructions from their client to waive reading of the charge(s); enter an election in relation to the mode of trial on their behalf, and they waive the requirement in s. 538(2) of the Criminal Code that the accused be put to his/her election. **Please check the box to the left in order to continue.**

This is a File Ownership file. Counsel hereby confirms that they have the consent of opposing counsel to set this date and time for the purpose and for the duration (time estimate) indicated. **Please check the box to the left in order to continue.**

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Requirements

Accused Election \* QB Judge and Jury This does not apply to any offence listed under section 469 of the Criminal Code (for example murder)

Accused Plea \* < Select an item >

Court Location \* Airdrie Provincial Criminal

Booking Type \* File Ownership/Assignment Courtroom

Appearance Type \* Preliminary Hearing

Amount of Time Required \* Minute(s) Both AM & PM If entering Days you may enter increments of 0.5 (e.g. 0.5, 1, 1.5, etc.) otherwise enter whole numbers (e.g. 1, 2, 3, etc.)

**Crown Time Estimate: Preliminary Hearing - 150115525P1 1.5 Days**

Domestic Violence If Domestic Violence indicator is selected in conjunction with Calgary location then the Date Range end date will be limited to 4 months from today. The Domestic Violence box must be ticked off when scheduling DV dispositions in Edmonton Courtroom # 268.

Date Range \* < Select an item >

Accused in Custody (at the time of booking) \* < Select an item >

Police witness required \* Yes

Special Requirements



## Default values in RCS

Certain combinations of booking types and appearance types have a default value for the amount of time required that cannot be changed.

For example if Bail Hearing is selected for both Booking Type and Appearance Type, then the amount of Time required defaults to 1 Case and cannot be changed.

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### Requirements

Accused Election	* Reserved	This does not apply
Accused Plea	* < Select an item >	
Court Location	* Calgary Provincial Criminal	
Booking Type	* Bail Hearing	
Appearance Type	* Bail Hearing	
Amount of Time Required	* 1 Case	AM Only

**Crown Time Estimate: Bail Hearing - 111215919P1 30 Minutes**

Domestic Violence If Domestic Violence indicator is selected in conjunction with the Domestic Violence box must be ticked off when scheduling (for example murder)

Date Range \* < Select an item >

Accused in Custody (at the time of booking) \* < Select an item >

Police witness required \* Yes

### Special Requirements

No Special Requirements

Child Friendly Courtroom

French Trial

Additional Security Required

Witness Screen

Equipment (TV, DVD, VCR, technology)

Interpreter for the Accused

If you require special equipment please fill in the above field. e.g. easel, TV/VCR/DVD, monitors, splitter cables, wipe-off boards, security locks, extra tables for exhibits, bookshelves, CD/cassette player/recorder etc.

Select language(s). If the language is not listed enter the language in the box below the list. (Ctrl+Click to select multiple items)

- < Select an item >
- Afghan (Pashto, Dari)
- Akan
- Albanian
- Amharic

**Please note:  
In Edmonton and Calgary,  
when selection of Booking  
Type and Appearance Type  
is Bail Hearing, the amount  
of time will always default  
to 1 case**