



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA
GAUTENG DIVISION, JOHANNESBURG**

Case NO: 2019-20883

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| (1) | REPORTABLE: No |
| (2) | OF INTEREST TO OTHER JUDGES: No |
| (3) | REVISED |
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| <p>21 MAY 2024 _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">WRIGHT J</p> | |

In the matter between:

THANDO WILLIAM DLAMINI

Plaintiff

and

THE MINISTER OF POLICE

Defendant

JUDGMENT

WRIGHT J


[1] The matter is not ready to proceed.

[2] The defendant needs to amend the special plea and may want to amend the main plea.

- [3] There is a partly heard criminal trial pending which is very closely related to the present case.
- [4] The plaintiff never took any steps to except to the plea or raise with the defendant the question of the special plea.
- [5] In the circumstances, by agreement, the matter is to be postponed sine die.
- [6] On the question of costs, there are too many variables and fingers are pointed in both directions.
- [7] It would be unwise to attempt now to apportion blame for the lack of readiness.

Order

- [1] Sine die, costs reserved.



GC Wright

Judge of the High Court

Gauteng Division, Johannesburg

HEARD : 21 May 2024

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