

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
COURT OF APPEAL
STATUS HEARING

SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES
MONDAY, 3rd FEBRUARY 2025

APPLICATIONS/MOTIONS

Case Name:

The King

v

Emerson Delplesche

[SVGHCRAP2024/0002]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Coram:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances:

Appellant:

Ms. Allana Cumberbatch holding papers for Ms. Renee Simmons

Respondent:

No appearance

Issues:

Status of the matter

Type of Order

Directions

Result/Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is removed from the court's list.
2. The matter will be relisted upon the filing of written submissions by the applicant or on a date to be fixed by the Chief Registrar.

3. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the respondent and shall provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason:

The Court noted that the Crown had not filed and served written submissions with authorities. The Court further noted that the delay was inordinate as the Crown failed to follow the orders dated 22nd January 2024 of the Court from the previous status hearing, which stated that the appellant shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 29th February 2024. Counsel for the Crown informed the Court that these submissions should be filed by 4th February 2025.

HIGH COURT CIVIL APPEALS

Case Name:

Julian Clarke

v

Veronica Haynes

[SVGHCVAP2016/0008]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances:

Appellant:

In person

Respondent:

No appearance

Issue:

Status of the matter

Type of Order:

Adjournment

Result / Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next Status Hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025 to allow the appellant to finalize his legal representation in relation to his appeal.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the parties personally and shall prove proof of service thereafter.

Reason:

The Court noted that the appellant was awaiting payment from the government for land acquisition to facilitate payment of legal fees. Further, the Court noted that the appellant was in communication with an attorney, however he required further time to fully settle his legal representation and possibly the matter. Therefore, the Court ordered for an adjournment to allow for the appellant to finalise his representation.

Case Name:

Angus Dennie

v

**St. Vincent and the Grenadines Small
Business and Microfinance Co-Operative Ltd**

**[SVGHCVAP2017/0013]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances:

Appellant:

In person

Respondent:

Mr. Julian Jack

Issues:

Status of the matter

Type of Order:

Adjournment

Result / Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The matter is adjourned to the next Status Hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025 to allow the appellant to settle his legal representation to change counsel.**
- 2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant and shall provide proof of service thereafter.**

Reason:

The Court noted that the matter was adjourned on the last two occasions to allow counsel for the appellant to make an application to be removed as solicitor on record for the appellant. The Court further noted that the appellant had not fully and properly retained another attorney, however, this was in train as the documents for the change of solicitor had already been drafted. The Court also noted that there was no objection to this request.

Case Name:

Kennie Tannis

v

Patrick Bunyan

**[SVGHCVAP2018/0006]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant:

Mr. Richard Williams

Respondent:

Mr. Israel Bruce

Issue:

Status of the matter

Type of Order:

Directions

Result/Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The claim filed with the Registry of the Supreme Court of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines bearing the appeal number SVGHCVAP2018/0006 shall be migrated onto the E-Litigation Portal.**
- 2. All subsequent pleadings, documents and proceedings in this case shall be filed with the Registry of the Supreme Court via the E-Litigation Portal.**
- 3. The appellant shall upload all previously filed (paper) pleadings and documents on the E-Litigation Portal as an “additional volume” on or before 21st February 2025.**
- 4. The respondent shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 3rd March 2025.**
- 5. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities in reply, if necessary, on or before 18th March 2025.**
- 6. The appeal will be listed for hearing at a Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, on a date to be fixed by the Chief Registrar on the matter being ready for hearing.**

Reason:

The Court noted that the respondent had only just returned to the state so he had not physically seen the copy of the appellant’s written submissions which had been served and filed. The Court, then, made directions regarding the appellant uploading the submissions on the E-Litigation Portal and both the respondent and appellant filing and serving written submissions with authorities.

Case Name:

Vendie McCaul

v

Gailon Matthews

[SVGHCVAP2023/0001]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: Mr. Richard Williams

Respondent: Ms. Patricia Marks-Minors

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Directions

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The respondent shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 18th March 2025.
2. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities in reply, if necessary, on or before 2nd April 2023.
3. The appeal will be listed for hearing at a Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, on a date to be fixed by the Chief Registrar on the matter being ready for the hearing.

Reason: The Court noted that the matter was ready to proceed.

HIGH COURT CRIMINAL APPEALS

Case Name: Webster Woodley
v

The King

[SVGHCRAP2015/0003]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: Ms. Kay Bacchus Baptiste

Respondent: Ms. Allana Cumberbatch holding papers for Ms. Sejilla McDowall

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Registrar of the High Court shall take the necessary steps to appoint another state attorney to represent the appellant in this appeal on or before 21st February 2025.
2. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.

Reason: The Court noted that Counsel for the appellant appeared in the matter below for another appellant, Counsel for the appellant believed that this could cause some conflict of interest and preferred if someone else would be assigned to do the matter and the Crown did not object to the request. Therefore, the Court directed that the Registrar of the High Court appoint another state attorney to represent the appellant on or before 21st February 2025.

The Court noted that the appellant was next to be assessed by his psychiatrist in March 2025. Therefore, the Court adjourned the matter in order to enable the respondent to obtain a further psychiatric report in relation to the appellant.

Case Name: Edward Hazlewood
v

The King

[SVGHCRAP2018/0017]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: Mr. Devon Bute

Respondent: No Appearance

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that the appellant was not served with the Certificate of Result of Status Hearing dated 9th September 2024 in order to present at the status hearing. The matter was, therefore, adjourned to allow the appellant to be present and indicate whether he intends to prosecute the appeal.

Case Name:

1. Cleroy Pinder
2. Zimroy Maurice Guy
3. Kamara George

v

The King

[SVGHCRA2018/0021]

[SVGHCRA2018/0023]

[SVGHCRA2018/0024]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025
Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearance:
1st Appellant: In person
2nd Appellant: Ms. Kay Bacchus Baptiste
3rd Appellant: Mr. Roderick Jones
Respondent: Mr. Devon Bute

Issues: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/ Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025, to allow counsel to take the necessary steps in relation to the progress of the appeal and to allow the appellant Mr. Cleroy Pinder to make an application for legal aid.

Case Name:
1. Alistair Gould
2. Noel Franklyn Browne
3. Bernardo Barbour

v

The King

**[SVGHCRAP2017/0007]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025
Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances:

1st Appellant: In person

2nd Appellant: Ms. Kay Bacchus Baptiste

MAGISTERIAL CRIMINAL APPEALS

Case Name:

Sandford Charles

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2022/0022]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: Ms. Samantha Robertson

Respondent: Ms. Allana Cumberbatch

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Directions

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The appellant shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 3rd March 2025.
2. The respondent shall file and serve written submission with authorities on or before 4th April 2025.
3. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities in reply, if necessary, on or before 21st April 2025.
4. The appeal will be listed for hearing at a Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, on a date to be fixed by the

Chief Registrar on the matter being ready for hearing.

Reason: The Court noted that the respondent was ready for directions on filing submissions and, therefore, directed the respondent to file and serve written submissions with authorities.

Case Name: **Garry Knights**

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2022/0008]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: **Monday, 3rd February 2025**

Before: **Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar**

Appearances

Appellant: **Mrs. Patricia Marks-Minors holding papers for Mr. Ronald Marks**

Respondent: **Mr. Devon Bute**

Issue: **Status of the matter**

Type of Order: **Directions**

Result/Order: **[Oral Delivery]**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The appellant shall take the necessary steps to file a Notice of Abandonment in accordance with Section 59(1), Court of Appeal Rules 1968.**
- 2. If paragraph 1 of this order is not complied with, the matter shall be listed for the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.**

Reason: The Court noted that Counsel for the appellant had indicated that the appellant no longer wished to prosecute the appeal and that no Notice of

Abandonment had been filed. Therefore, the Court directed that the appellant to take the necessary steps to file a Notice of Abandonment.

Case Name:

Jason Kydd

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2023/0011]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant:

No Appearance

Respondent:

Mr. Devon Bute

Issue:

Status of the matter

Type of Order:

Directions

Result/Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The appellant shall take the necessary steps to file a Notice of Abandonment in accordance with section 59(1), Court of Appeal Rules 1968.
2. If paragraph 1 of this order is not complied with, the matter shall be listed for the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.

Reason:

The Court noted that Counsel for the appellant indicated on 9th September 2024 that the appellant no longer wished to prosecute the appeal. Therefore, the Court ordered that the appellant take the requisite steps to file a Notice of Abandonment.

Case Name:

Kyjuan Prince

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2023/0022]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: **Monday, 3rd February 2025**

Before: **Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar**

Appearances

Appellant: **No Appearance**

Respondent: **Mr. Devon Bute**

Issues: **Status of the matter**

Type of Order: **Adjournment**

Result/Order: **[Oral Delivery]**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.**
- 2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.**

Reason: **The Court noted that the appellant was not served with the Certificate of Result of Status Hearing dated 9th September 2024 in order to be present at the status hearing. Therefore, the matter is adjourned to allow the appellant to be present to indicate whether he intends to prosecute the appeal.**

Case Name:

Jovel Thomas

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2024/0004]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: In Person

Respondent: Ms. Allana Cumberbatch

Issues: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Directions

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 28th April 2025.
2. The respondent shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 28th May 2025.
3. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities in reply, if necessary, on or before 12th June 2025.
4. This appeal will be listed for hearing at a Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines on a date to be fixed by the Chief Registrar on the matter being ready for hearing.

Reason: The Court noted that the matter was ready to proceed.

Case Name: Korie Anderson

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2024/0005]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: No Appearance

Respondent: Mr. Devon Bute

Issues: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that the appellant was not served with Notice of the Status Hearing for 3rd February 2025. Therefore, the matter is adjourned to allow the appellant to indicate whether he intends to prosecute the appeal.

Case Name: Ennis Hector

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2024/0008]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: No Appearance

Respondent: Mr. Devon Bute

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the applicant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that the appellant desired further time to retain legal counsel and the respondent had not objected to that desire. Therefore, the matter is adjourned to allow the appellant to sort out his legal representation.

Case Name: The Commissioner of Police

v

Orlando Browne

**[SVGMCRAP2023/0002]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: Ms. Allana Cumberbatch holding papers for Mr. Cornelius Tittle

Respondent: In Person

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the respondent personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that the respondent was not served with the Notice of the Status Hearing for 3rd February 2025, the respondent requested further time to retain legal representation, the appellant did not object to that request and the appellant had not filed any submissions. Therefore, the matter is adjourned to allow the respondent to retain legal representation.

Case Name: Chelson James
v

The Commissioner of Police

**[SVGMCRAP2023/0012]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: In Person

Respondent: Ms. Allana Cumberbatch

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of the order on the appellant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason:

The Court noted that the appellant was not served with Notice of the Status Hearing for the 3rd of February 2025, the appellant requested further time to retain legal representation and the respondent did not object to that request. Therefore, the matter is adjourned to allow the appellant to retain legal representation.

Case Name:

Devorn Baptiste

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2023/0014]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant:

In Person

Respondent:

Ms. Allana Cumberbatch

Issue:

Status of the matter

Type of Order:

Directions

Result/Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 4th April 2025.

2. The respondent shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 6th May 2025.
3. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities in reply, if necessary, on or before 2nd June 2025.
4. This appeal will be listed for hearing at a Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines on a date to be fixed by the Chief Registrar on the matter being ready for hearing.
5. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant and shall provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that the matter was ready to proceed.

Case Name: Ezikel Tash

v

The Commissioner of Police

**[SVGMCRAP2023/0015]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: In Person

Respondent: Mr. Devon Bute

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Directions

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The appellant shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 7th April 2025.
2. The respondent shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 8th May 2025.
3. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities in reply, if necessary, on or before 30th May 2025.
4. This appeal will be listed for hearing at a Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines on a date to be fixed by the Chief Registrar on the matter being ready for hearing.
5. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of the order on the appellant and shall provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that the matter was ready to proceed.

Case Name: Matthew Haynes

v

The Commissioner of Police

**[SVGMCRAP2023/0018]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: In Person

Respondent: Mr. Devon Bute

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines schedule for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason:

The Court noted that the appellant requested time to speak with his legal Counsel and give her instructions and the respondent did not object to this request. Therefore, the matter is adjourned to allow the appellant to sort out his legal representation.

Case Name:

Ajuane Grant

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2023/0019]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant:

In Person

Respondent:

Mr. Devon Bute

Issue:

Status of the matter

Type of Order:

Adjournment

Result/Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.

2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason:

The Court noted that the appellant erroneously believed that his incarceration would end on the day of the status hearing. Therefore, the matter is adjourned to allow the appellant to seek legal advice in relation to his appeal.

Case Name:

Rohan Stowe

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2023/0020]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date:

Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before:

Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant:

No Appearance

Respondent:

Mr. Devon Bute and Ms. Allana Cumberbatch

Issue:

Status of the matter

Type of Order:

Directions

Result/Order:

[Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. There is no proper appeal before this Court.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant and shall provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason:

The Court noted that according to the order of Ellis JA dated 26th September 2023, the appellant's application for an extension of time to appeal was dismissed. Therefore, the Court directed that there was no proper appeal before the Court.

Case Name:

Dwayne Richards

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2022/0003]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: **Monday, 3rd February 2025**

Before: **Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar**

Appearances

Appellant: **Mr. Jaundy Martin**

Respondent: **Ms. Allana Cumberbatch**

Issue: **Status of the matter**

Type of Order: **Directions**

Result/Order: **[Oral Delivery]**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The appellant shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 28th April 2025.**
- 2. The respondent shall file and serve written submissions with authorities on or before 30th May 2025.**
- 3. The appellant is at liberty to file and serve written submissions with authorities in reply, if necessary, on or before 16th June 2025.**
- 4. This appeal will be listed for hearing at a Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines on a date to be fixed by the Chief Registrar on the matter being ready for hearing.**

Reason: **The Court noted that the appeal was ready to proceed.**

Case Name:

Bertram Simmons

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2022/0002]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: In Person

Respondent: Mr. Devon Bute

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the appellant personally and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that it did not appear as if the appellant had been served with the Record of Appeal and the appellant requested time to retain legal Counsel in relation to his appeal. Therefore, the matter was adjourned to allow the appellant to retain legal Counsel.

Case Name: Oran Bute

v

The Commissioner of Police

[SVGMCRAP2023/0024]

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant:	Mr. Jomo Thomas
Respondent:	Ms. Allana Cumberbatch holding papers for Ms. Maria Jackson-Richards

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Directions

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The respondent shall file and serve supplemental written submissions with authorities on or before 5th February 2025.
2. The matter will be listed for hearing at the Court of Appeal sitting for the State of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines during the week commencing 10th February 2025.

Reason: The Court noted that the respondent intended to file and serve supplemental written submission by 5th February 2025. Therefore, the Court directed that the respondent shall file and serve written submissions by that date.

Case Name: The Commissioner of Police

v

[1]K-Ci Peters
[2]Alexon Williams
[3]Rhaso Davis
[4]Dexroy Joseph
[5]Brani Alexander

[SVGMCRAP2022/0020]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Date: Monday, 3rd February 2025

Before: Mrs. Michelle John-Theobalds, Chief Registrar

Appearances

Appellant: Ms. Allana Cumberbatch holding papers for Mr. Ritchie Maitland
Mr. Grant Connell
1st and 3rd Respondents: In Person
2nd and 5th Respondents: No Appearance
4th Respondent:

Issue: Status of the matter

Type of Order: Adjournment

Result/Order: [Oral Delivery]

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The matter is adjourned to the next status hearing of the Court of Appeal for Saint Vincent and the Grenadines scheduled for 3rd November 2025.
2. The Registrar of the High Court shall serve a copy of this order on the 2nd, 4th and 5th respondents and provide proof of service thereafter.

Reason: The Court noted that the 2nd respondent was gathering funds to pay his legal Counsel and both the 2nd and 5th respondents requested time to retain legal Counsel. Therefore, the matter was adjourned to allow the 2nd and 5th respondents to retain legal Counsel.