

Court Duty Plans: Tain Sheriff Court

The Criminal Legal Aid (Scotland) Regulations 1996

1 OCTOBER 2025 – 31 MARCH 2026

Period (Friday – Friday)	Duty firm
01/10 – 25/10	Patterson and Company
26/10 – 11/11	Jack Gowans & Marc Dickson
12/11 – 06/12	Craig Wood
07/12 – 31/12	PDSO
01/01 – 25/01	Patterson and Company
26/01 – 11/02	Jack Gowans & Marc Dickson
12/02 – 08/03	Craig Wood
09/03 – 31/03	PDSO

Note: The alternative solicitor is the next succeeding duty solicitor.

Alphabetical list of firms registered for Tain Court Duty

Firm	Address	Business telephone	Solicitors
Craig Wood	23 Academy Street, Inverness, IV1 1JN	01463 225544	Ruaridh Gowans, Shahid Latif, John MacColl.
Jack Gowans & Marc Dickson	46 Church Street, Inverness, IV1 1EH	01463 710677	Marc Dickson, Samantha Morrison.
MacDonald Law (back up firm only)	Riverside Road, Thurso, KW14 8BU	01847 894515	Fiona MacDonald.
Patterson and Company	Highland House, 20 Longman Road, Inverness, IV1 1RY	01463 418277	Paul Cannavan, Josey Donachie, David Patterson.
PDSO	2 Castle Wynd, Inverness, IV2 3EB	01463 709680	Kevin Hughes, Laura-Jane McFarlane, Patrick O'Dea.