Court Duty Plans: Oban Sheriff and JP Court

The Criminal Legal Aid (Scotland) Regulations 1996

4 OCTOBER 2026 – 3 APRIL 2027

Amended 6/11/26

Period (fortnightly, Sunday – Saturday)	Sheriff Court Duty firm
4/10 – 17/10	E Thornton & Co
18/10 – 31/10	D M MacKinnon
1/11 – 14/11	E Thornton & Co
15/11 - 28/11	D M MacKinnon
29/11 – 12/12	E Thornton & Co
13/12 – 26/12	D M MacKinnon
27/12 – 9/1	E Thornton & Co
10/1 – 23/1	D M MacKinnon
24/1 – 6/2	D M MacKinnon
7/2 – 20/2	E Thornton & Co
21/2 – 6/2	E Thornton & Co
7/3 – 20/3	D M MacKinnon
21/3 – 3/4	E Thornton & Co

Note: The alternative solicitor is the next succeeding firm.

Alphabetical list of firms registered for Oban Court Duty

Firm	Address	Business telephone	Solicitors
D M MacKinnon	Bank of Scotland Buildings, Station Buildings, Oban, PA34 4LN	01631 563014	Graeme Wright.
E Thornton & Co	17 – 19 Lochside Street Oban, PA34 4HP	01631 566771	Gareth Bell-Cairns,
JBM Law Ltd *(back up firm)*	*20 Main Street,* *Campbeltown,* *PA28 6AE*	*01546 602084* *or* *07809 417103*	*John McGeechan.*