

PRACTICE DIRECTIVE 2 of 2024

With the coming into effect of the Land Act (Act 06 of 2023) on the 5th of April 2024
In terms of section 3 of this Act, The Land Court is hereby established as a court of
law.

It is a Superior Court that has the Authority, inherent powers and standing in relation
to matters under its jurisdiction, equal to that which a Division of the High Court of
South Africa has in terms of the Superior Court Act in relation to matters under its
jurisdiction.

The citation of the Court in all new applications which do not form part of CourtOnline
Phase 1 Project will therefore be "The Land Court of South Africa, Johannesburg"
with the acronym "LanC "preceding the case number to be allocated.

For example:

IN THE LAND COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA, JOHANNESBURG.

LanC [123/2025]

The Practitioners are requested to comply with the citation of the court with effect

From 26 September 2024 and no new applications will be accepted at issuing office
if none compliance is detected.



Zeenat Carelse

Judge President of the Land Court of south Africa