

PRACTICE NOTE

ROBES

At present there are ongoing problems of excessively hot court and hearing rooms in the Rolls Building due to the lack of reliable, functioning air-conditioning. In the circumstances, I have decided that, unless the judge in a particular case requires advocates to be robed, wigs and gowns will be dispensed with in the Chancery Division until the end of the Trinity Term 2024. Whether or not the judge wears robes will be a matter of choice for the judge.

The Rt. Hon. Sir Julian Flaux
Chancellor of the High Court

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