

Bailiff Script

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A card (see below) will be given to the bailiff prior to the beginning of court with presiding judge’s name on it.

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