

SOUTH AFRICA / JUDGMENT

## Dlamini v Minister of Police (2018-20883) [2024] ZAGPJHC 501 (21 May 2024)

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COURT

South Gauteng High Court, Johannesburg

BEFORE

GC Wright

CASE / FILE NUMBER

2018-20883

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA  
GAUTENG DIVISION, JOHANNESBURG

Case

NO: 2019-20883

1.

REPORTABLE: No

2.

OF INTEREST TO OTHER JUDGES: No

3.

REVISED

21

May 2024

In

the matter between:

THANDO  
WILLIAM  
DLAMINI  
Plaintiff  
and  
THE  
MINISTER OF  
POLICE  
Defendant

## JUDGMENT

WRIGHT J

- [1] The matter is not ready to proceed.
- [2] The defendant needs to amend the special plea and may want to amend the main plea.
- [3] There is a partly heard criminal trial pending which is very closely related to the present case.
- [4] The plaintiff never took any steps to except to the plea or raise with the defendant the question of the special plea.
- [5] In the circumstances, by agreement, the matter is to be postponed sine die.
- [6] On the question of costs, there are too many variables and fingers are pointed in both directions.
- [7] It would be unwise to attempt now to apportion blame for the lack of readiness.

Order

- [1] Sine die, costs reserved.

GC Wright

Judge of the High Court

Gauteng Division, Johannesburg

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