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Dear All,

## **RE: PRACTICE DIRECTIVE 38A**

To date the directives remain unclear as to what procedure a plaintiff should follow when the Road Accident Fund defend an action and thereafter fails to participate further in the litigation. To deal with this *lacuna* Directive 38A will issue.

Yours sincerely

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