

## Misdemeanor DCM Plan

### Initial Appearance Setting [IAS]

#### All Case Tracks

1. In Custody=Filed + 4 Days
2. Bond/Pretrial = Filed + 15 Days

Purpose: Verify Counsel, determine indigent status, appoint counsel, order payment of attorney fees.

[Defendant & Retained Attorney may be excused from appearing with prior approval.]

### Consultation Setting [CS]

#### Expedited Track and Basic Tracks

1. In Custody= Filed + 10 Days
2. Bond/Pretrial = Filed + 30 Days or Indictment + 15 Days

Purpose: Plea Agreement Offer by State; Exchange Discovery; Enter Written Plea Admonishment, if agreement reached. Cases with no agreement are reset to EES. Tentative Trial Date is assigned.

#### Complex Track

- All Defendants= Filed + 15 Days  
Scheduling Order entered on cases not agreed.

### Evidence Exchange Setting [EES]

#### Basic Track

1. In custody = Filed + 15 Days
2. Bond/Pretrial = Filed + 30 to 90 Days

Purpose: Lab & discovery must be complete. Meaningful Plea considered. Cases not agreed are reset to Motion Setting [MS]. Complex discovery or DNA existence may move case to Complex Track.

#### Complex Track

- Filed Date + 100 Days for all cases

### Motion Setting [MS]

#### Basic Track

1. In Custody = Filed + 90 Days
2. Bond/Pretrial = 90 to 150 Days

Purpose: Hearing of all pending motions, by request. Cases with no plea will receive a notice of Status Conference Setting.

#### Complex Track

- Filed + 150 Days on all Cases

### Comprehensive Pretrial Conference (CPC) or Status Conference (SC)

#### Expedited Track

1. Custody = Filed + 15 Days
2. Bond/Pretrial = Filed + 15 to 60 Days \* Trial within 4 weeks

#### Basic Track

1. Custody = Filed + 135 Days
2. Bond/Pretrial = Filed + 135 to 200 Days

#### Complex Track

- Filed + 200 Days on all cases

Purpose: This is the last setting before trial. All Pleas previously agreed to must be entered. Trial Date previously assigned is confirmed. .

