

PRACTICE NOTE 14

HIGHLIGHTING AND REFERENCING AUTHORITIES AND CITATIONS OF PEI CASES

1. All authorities cited and relied upon on motions, applications, trials and appeals must have the relevant portion highlighted by underlining, sidelining or highlighting in colour.
2. The Registrar will inspect all cited authorities in factums, briefs, etc., for compliance with paragraph 1 and will refuse to accept authorities for filing if there is non-compliance with paragraph 1.
3. Counsel may, in their discretion, limit the photocopying of unduly long cases to the specific passage or passages upon which they rely and the head note.
4. Counsel may file a joint book of authorities and just file one copy of any common authorities or rely on the other party's copy of a common authority. Counsel are asked to make every effort possible to comply with this provision. Counsel disregarding this practice may be dealt with by having costs awarded against him or her.
5. Counsel must always cite the rule number or section of a statute that is relied upon as the authority for a motion or application.