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Lawyers and Estate Agents

Criminal Law

For anyone facing the prospect of a criminal prosecution one phrase should come immediately to mind – it is never too early to call your solicitor. Be it a voluntary attendance, detention or arrest, Ken MacDonald & Co should always be your first port of call. The advice given at this early stage could make all the difference.

If charged, do not go through the process alone: let Ken MacDonald & Co assist. We cover both Stornoway and Lochmaddy Sheriff Courts and are the only firm in Stornoway who has always been enrolled on the duty solicitor scheme for both areas. We also participate in the criminal legal aid scheme.

Being local, we have the advantage of being able to meet with you immediately and as often as is necessary, carry out locus inspection and meet with the Procurator Fiscal at any time to discuss your case face to face.

For those appearing in court from custody we are often your first point of call and will assist you through the preliminary appearance. Established clients who find themselves in this situation are now entitled to request that we represent them personally from the outset. Simply let the police or reliance officer know. We are only a telephone call away and in daily contact with the court. We can also help if you have been released on an undertaking – contact us immediately.

For those attending our office who have been served their court citation, please take the following with you: charges, list of previous convictions and summary of evidence. If it is a road traffic offence please bring your driving licence (paper and card parts). For those wishing to apply for legal aid please take with you two forms of identification and documentary evidence of your financial position.

We offer a free no obligation first consultation. If we are able to assist we will inform you immediately. If we are not able to then we will help refer you to the specialist most suited to your needs. In over forty years practising in this field Ken MacDonald has built up an extensive network of contacts throughout Scotland.

For personal representation at a local level contact Ken MacDonald & Co.

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