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Inclusion of a new Crown Court
table in the Court Statistics
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Introduction

This Statistical Notice advises users of a new table to be added to the Crown Court statistics chapter of the Court Statistics Quarterly bulletin.

Summary

1. In summary, the proposed change is the addition of a new table showing the average waiting time between a committal or the lodging of an appeal and the start of the substantive Crown Court hearing, broken down by type of case. The change will take effect in the Q3 (Jul-Sep) 2009 edition of *Court Statistics Quarterly*, which is due for publication on 15 December 2009.
2. Crown Court timeliness statistics are already displayed in this format in the Ministry of Justice's annual *Judicial and Court Statistics* publication, but are presented in this way in *Court Statistics Quarterly* for the first time. The new table will also include some revisions to these statistics compared to those published in the 2008 edition of *Judicial and Court Statistics* in September. The latter will be amended as soon as possible.

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