



JUDICIAL SERVICE COMMISSION

JUDICIAL WIGS PUBLIC CONSULTATION

FEEDBACK FORM

ENQUIRY ON THE RETENTION OR REMOVAL OF JUDICIAL WIGS IN THE ZIMBABWEAN JUDICIARY

- 🇿🇼 The Judicial Service Commission has constituted a **Judicial Wigs Committee (JWC)** whose mandate is to interrogate and recommend the removal or retention of judicial wigs in Zimbabwe.
- 🇿🇼 In order to solicit and gather comments, suggestions, recommendations, and opinions from various stakeholders regarding this issue, the JWC welcomes contributions by means of this consultation form or questionnaire.
- 🇿🇼 Please fill out this consultation form or questionnaire to assist the JWC in gathering feedback on the above-stated issue.
- 🇿🇼 Once completed, the forms must be submitted to the office of the **Secretary, Judicial Service Commission House, NO. 161 Josiah Chinamano Avenue, corner Josiah Chinamano Avenue & Seventh Street, HARARE,** OR on emawondo@jsc.org.zw or lphilemon@jsc.org.zw by no later than **close of business on 3 November 2022.**

CONTACT INFORMATION

(Please provide your name, title and the full name and address of your organization, if you are submitting comments on behalf of an organization)

About You or Your Organization

(please check the appropriate box)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Law Firm | <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial Department |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy Group | <input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement Agents |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Educators | <input type="checkbox"/> Not for Profit Sector |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Students | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Interested Parties: _____ |

ISSUES FOR CONSULTATION

The removal of Judicial Wigs in Zimbabwe.

FEEDBACK QUESTIONS

The removal or retention of Judicial Wigs in Zimbabwe

1. Do you regard judicial wigs as critical to the administration of justice? Briefly give reasons for your answer

2. What effect do the judicial wigs have on you when you appear in court and observe judges wearing them?

3. Are you for the complete removal of judicial headgear or judicial wigs?, if yes, which alternative headgear would you suggest to be worn by judicial officers, if any?

4. Are there any other changes you would suggest to the current judicial attire particularly on normal court wigs and ceremonial wigs?

5. Do you have any other comments regarding the wearing of judicial wigs by Honourable Judges?

What other suggestions do you have regarding this matter ?

**Send Feedback to by
3 November 2022**

PRIVACY STATEMENT

Please note that unless agreed otherwise by the Judicial Service Commission, all submissions received from organizations in response to this consultation will be considered public information and may be used and disclosed by the Judicial Wigs Committee to help the Judicial Service Commission in policy-making. This may involve disclosing any response received to other interested parties.

An individual who provides a response and indicates an affiliation with an organization will be considered to have submitted the response on behalf of that organization.

Responses received from individuals who do not indicate an affiliation with an organization will not be considered to be public. Responses from individuals may be used and disclosed by the Judicial Wigs Committee. Any personal information such as the individual's name and contact details will not be disclosed by the Judicial Service Commission without the individual's prior consent unless required by law.

If you have any questions about the collection of this information, Kindly contact the Chair of the Judicial Wigs Committee (JWC) on +263 77 738 9047.