Form CP5

Federal Court (Criminal Proceedings) Rule 1.30(1)

Notice of termination of lawyer's retainer

No.       of 20

Federal Court of Australia

District Registry: [State]

Division: General

**Commonwealth Director of Public Prosecutions[or other as appropriate]**Prosecutor

**[Name of Accused]**Accused

[Change title for summary criminal proceedings (Form CP2) or criminal appeal proceedings (Form CP3)]

[Name], the [role of party eg Accused] has terminated the retainer of [name of lawyer], [firm] in the proceedings and has not appointed another lawyer to represent the [role of party eg Accused].

Date: [eg 19 June 20..]

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| Signed by [Name]  [Insert capacity eg Accused] |

*Notes*

1. **Service:** The person who files this notice must, as soon as practicable, serve a stamped copy of the notice on each party, or each other party, to the proceedings: (CP Rule 1.30(4)). See Part 7 of the CP Rules for rules about service.
2. CP Rule 1.30(1)(b) requires the party to file a notice of address for service (Form CP10).