

- **Once a Perpetrator pleads guilty, there should be no more adjournments.**

I would have preferred we went to Trial as Max Gardiner adjourned proceedings so many times. We ended up having 11 hearings which included an Appeals Hearing adjournment. He was looking for a Doctor to declare he was suffering mentally. So, he was Doctor shopping to find one who would say what he wanted them to say. In the end Judge Mariach did not believe him and was looking to extend his sentence.

- **Appeals Hearings – You should lose the right to abandon the Appeal if the Judge is going to increase your sentence. If you have abandoned the original sentence, it means you have disregarded that verdict. The Perpetrator shouldn't have the right to go back to it because it was lesser.**

Max Gardiner was very upset Judge Mariach was going to increase his sentence. Judge Mariach then gave him time to talk it over with his Barrister and they came back abandoning the Appeal. This was in June 2020, Max Gardiner had plead guilty in December 2019. Six months of court hearings, adjournments and appeals, all for an 8 month sentence out of a maximum sentence of 15 years & 3 months. Pitiful as I have a life sentence. Max Gardiner is currently out there terrorising again.

- **Prison Emergency Management Days**

These are given to prisoners who are in lockdown. Sadly, during Covid19, the whole state was in lockdown. I could only venture out of my house for an hour per day and only travel 5kms from my home. Yet Max Gardiner was earning Emergency Management Days off his sentence during this period. He had received 22 days within the first couple of months of his incarceration. I spoke to Edward O'Donohue about this, and Edward contacted the Prison Minister asking for the days to be revoked or at the very least, have no more days added to reduce Max Gardiner's sentence. Sadly, they kept the 22 days off his sentence. Max was released on 10th January 2021 instead of being released in February 2021. This was an abuse of these days. They should solely be used in regard to prison riots if at all. Prisoners should not be rewarded for being in prison.

- **Maintaining Privacy for Victims**

As I have previous mentioned, The State Titles office needs to not allow people to randomly do a title search under a person's name, pay their \$15.00 and they have all the information they need to find you. A title search should only be done by a lawyer or conveyancer. This is a person's home, their safe place which can be violated at any time. The Telco companies are not allowed to give out information so how can the Titles Office ? This needs to change.....