

## **LEGAL SECRETARY - FAMILY LAW**

Designed for: Pre-requisites:

Individuals wishing to pursue a career as a Legal Secretary.

**e-requisites:**Comprehensive end-user knowledge of Microsoft Word, competent keyboarding (at least 40 wpm), good letter layout and office practice skills

To give an introduction to the work, responsibilities, practice and structure of the Family Law Department in a legal office

**Objectives:** 

## **Course Content:**

- Lesson 1: Introduction to Family Law, Basic Divorce Procedure, Instruction Form
- Lesson 2: The Petition, Example of a Petition, Certificate with regard to Reconciliation
- Lesson 3: Statement of Arrangements for Children
- ◆ Lesson 4: Filing the Petition Lesson 4: The Acknowledgement of Service, Serving the Petition, The Answer, Affidavits
- ♦ Lesson 5: Decree Nisi, Decree Absolute

## Features:

- Structured modular approach to make learning easy
- Practical exercises to consolidate knowledge gained

## **Benefits:**

- Develop an awareness of the workings and structure of a Family Law Department
- The flexibility and value of a self-study module designed to enable you to work at your own pace
- A personalised workbook to use as a reference guide on completion of the module
- ♦ The opportunity to gain the widely recognised Pitman Training certification

**Duration: 7hrs What Next?** 

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