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- 1 In this Handbook, where the particular circumstances and set-up of a court or tribunal so require, reference to the 'registrar' shall be construed to include reference to the chief executive/court administrator.
- 2 With special thanks to Andrew Phelan, Chief Executive and Principal Registrar of the High Court of Australia, for having graciously provided this example and information.
- 3 It is important to underscore that the model proposed here, as elsewhere in this Handbook, is subject to the particular circumstances and set-up of each court or tribunal. It is hereby acknowledged that the circumstances of particular courts and tribunals may require a different model to ensure overall efficacy.
- 4 See, for example, the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (ICC).
- 5 The ICC unit – the Victims and Witnesses Unit (VWU) – is a good example. See: <http://www.icc-cpi.int/Menus/ICC/Structure+of+the+Court/Protection/Victims+and+Witness+Unit.htm> [last accessed February 2012].
- 6 For further information see: <http://www.sc-sl.org/> [last accessed February 2012].
- 7 In some instances, many months of delay take place.

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