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### CRIMINAL LAW PRECEDENTS

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#### Publisher's Special Release Note 2021

The pages in this work were reissued in August 2021 and updated to reflect that date in the release line. Please note that we did not review the content on every page of this work in the August 2021 release. We will continue to review and update the content according to the work's publication schedule. This will ensure that subscribers are reading commentary that incorporates developments in the law as soon as possible after they have happened or as the author deems them significant.

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### **Release Highlights**

This release features updates to the precedents and accompanying commentary in the following chapters: 4 (Judicial Interim Release), and 9 (Evidence at Trial).

Revised precedents include the following:

- Judicial Interim Release – Bail Hearings – *Surety Declaration (Code, s. 515.1)*
- Judicial Interim Release – Bail Hearings – *Release Order*

Case law discussed in the commentary that accompanies the precedents include the following:

- Evidence at Trial – Admissions of Fact – According to the Court of Appeal for Ontario, unlike formal admissions, which require no further evidence of the corresponding fact, informal admissions of fact are not so conclusive, may be contradicted or qualified by other evidence, and may include statements of what a witness would or could say if called to testify: *R. v. Stennet*, 2021 ONCA 258, 2021 CarswellOnt 5915 (Ont. C.A.).

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