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## SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES — COURT OF APPEAL

## Ex parte COFFEY & Ors; Re EVANS and SHEPARD

Herron CJ, Moffitt and Holmes JJA

## 11 June 1971

CRIMINAL LAW – CONSPIRACY – ALLEGED TO BE A GENERAL CONSPIRACY BETWEEN NUMEROUS PERSONS – COMMITTAL PROCEEDINGS – MAGISTRATE STATED THAT HE WOULD WAIT UNTIL ALL OF THE EVIDENCE WAS IN BEFORE REACHING A DECISION WHETHER TO COMMIT FOR TRIAL OR NOT – NO ERROR ON THE PART OF THE MAGISTRATE.

[Ed Note: The matters discussed by the NSW Court of Appeal in this matter are not relevant to the Magistrates' Court]