

Attorney General meets with fed-up judges

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The Attorney-General has met with provincial court judges to discuss the shortage of sheriffs that forced the closure of at least five Metro Vancouver courtrooms today.

No word yet on the outcome of the meeting but in provincial court in Vancouver on Main Street this morning it was a chaotic scene with four courtrooms closed and one judge forced to deal with all those cases.

Judge Greg Rideout - clearly frustrated - spoke his mind to his courtroom saying the situation is unsustainable and he called for immediate attention from Attorney General Barry Penner.