

Relevant Articles:  
 392  
 370  
 389  
 392A

Court of Magistrates  
 (two fold jurisdiction)

Court of Inquiry.

Court of Criminal Jurisdiction  
Original Competence  
 (Art 370 Chp 9)  
 2 years or under with or without the addition of a fine (multa) or imprisonment

Extended Competence  
 2 to 12 years

- \* From 2 to 6 years: Shall ask accused first whether or not he wishes that his case be dealt with summarily.
- \* From 6 to 12 years: Shall ask the accused after summary proceedings are demanded by the AG.

To hear evidence of cases which exceed the original competence of the COM as COCT.  
 + In case of guilty plea - 2 to 12 years  
 - Shall proceed to pass judgment  
 (In case of guilty plea for charges over 12 years - Art 392B.)

No objection  
 Shall proceed & become competent to try the accused.  
 \* if AG gives consent in writing

Objections  
 Shall send records to AG to proceed in terms of law (filing of the BOI)

Criminal Court!

\* Practically same procedure however consent of parties are requested in a different sequence!