

# High Court of Tripura Agartala

## Order No. 29

Dated, Agartala, the 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2013

In order to reduce the pendency of old cases, which are pending for 5 years or more, Hon'ble the Chief Justice has been pleased to direct all concerned Courts of District & Sessions Judges/Addl. District & Sessions Judges/Civil Judges/Judicial Magistrates to set targets following the **Action Plan** given hereinbelow:

# COURTS OF DISTRICT/ADDL. DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGES

- 1. All cases which are more than 5 (five) years old be decided within 6 (six) months.
- 2. The Judges should monitor the progress of the old pending cases himself/herself.
- 3. All 5-year old Criminal Appeals/Revisions should be sorted out and disposed of within 6 months.
- 4. All 5-year old Civil Appeals should be disposed of within 6 months.
- 5. Regular despatch of records to the Record Room and destruction of relevant part of records.
- 6. 25 (twenty-five) oldest Execution matters should be disposed of in a year of Action Plan, preferably 2/3 in a month.
- 7. 50 (fifty) oldest Criminal trials should be disposed of giving preference to old cases pending beyond 5 years.
- 8. All the cases relating to Under Trial Prisoners (UTPs) where the period of custody of the accused is more than 2 (two) years, should invariably be disposed of within 6 months.

#### COURTS OF CIVIL JUDGES/JUDICIAL MAGISTRATES

- 1. All 5-year old cases should be disposed of within a maximum period of 6 months for Criminal cases and 1 year for Civil cases. At least 5 such cases should be disposed of in each month.
- 2. All 5-year old execution petitions should be disposed of within 6 months.
- 3. All old Civil cases, pending beyond 5 years or more, should be disposed of within 6 months.
- 4. All old Criminal cases, pending beyond 5 years or more, should be disposed of within 6 months.

- 5. All cases relating to Under Trials Prisoners (UTPs) where the period of custody is more than 6 (six) months should be disposed of within 6 months.
- 6. Cases under section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act should be disposed of on priority basis.

District & Sessions Judge and Chief Judicial Magistrate of respective district will review the progress and submit their report in each month. A meeting of District & Sessions Judges and Chief Judicial Magistrates will be held after 3 months to review the progress.

This Order will come into force with immediate effect.

By Order,

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(M. Chakrabarti) Registrar

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April 25, 2013

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01.	The District & Sessions Judge, West Tripura, Agartala/South Tripura, Udaipur/North Tripura, Kailashahar;
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03.	The I/c. Joint Registrar, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

04. The Deputy Registrar ( \_\_\_\_\_\_\_), High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

The Chief Judicial Magistrate, West Tripura, Agartala/South Tripura, Udaipur/North Tripura, Kailashahar;

06. The Assistant Registrar ( \_\_\_\_\_\_\_), High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

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The Private Secretary to the Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

09. The Private Secretaries to the Hon'ble Judges, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

10. The Private Secretary to the Registrar, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

11. The Superintendent ( \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ), High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

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(M. Chakrabarti)
Registrar