

List of key circulars, guidelines, notifications, advisories and orders issued by Hon'ble Supreme Court and various High Courts in wake of Covid-19 pandemic.

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Press Release concerning functioning of all Benches through Video Conferencing.

High Court of Gujarat

26.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a press release concerning functioning of all benches through video conferencing and directions for live telecast of the court proceedings from 26.10.2020 onwards.</i>
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Office Order concerning filing of caveats through e-filing module.

High Court of Delhi

23.10.2020	No. 573 / RG / DHC / 2020	<i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning filing of all caveats through e-filing module.</i>
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Guideline for regular functioning of the High Court with effect from 02.11.2020

High Court of Rajasthan

23.10.2020	PA/RG/MISC/2020	<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued a notification concerning regular functioning of the High Court with effect from 02.11.2020.</i> <i>The notification further states that all benches of the High Court shall function regularly from 10:30 AM till 4:00 PM. The hearings shall be permitted through both physical hearing and video conferencing.</i>
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Guidelines for listing of bail applications with effect from 02.11.2020 to 07.11.2020 at Principal Seat Jabalpur, and Benches at Indore and Gwalior.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

23.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued guidelines concerning listing of bail applications with effect from 02.11.2020 to 07.11.2020 at Principal Seat, Jabalpur and the Benches at Indore and Gwalior.</i> <i>The High Court has directed that the first bail applications and first applications for suspension of sentence will be given first priority for listing under the head of fresh bail. Thereafter, subject to availability of space, second bail applications and second applications for suspension of sentence will be listed and subsequently, third, fourth, fifth and other subsequent bail applications and subsequent applications for suspension of sentence will be listed accordingly from 02.11.2020 till 07.11.2020.</i>
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Guidelines for physical hearing in the High Court at Lucknow Bench with effect from 02.11.2020.

High Court of Allahabad

22.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Allahabad issued guidelines concerning physical hearing at the Lucknow Bench with effect from 02.11.2020.</i>
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Order concerning extension of the interim orders passed High Courts and its Subordinate Courts till 01.12.2020.

High Court of Allahabad

20.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Allahabad passed an order concerning extension of interim orders passed by the High Court, District Courts, Civil Courts, Family Courts, Labour Courts, Industrial Tribunals and other Tribunals till 01.12.2020.</i>
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Office Order concerning extension of the present system of hearing of matters.

High Court of Delhi

19.10.2020	538 / RG / DHC / 2020	<i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning extension of the present system of hearing till 30.11.2020.</i>
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Notice concerning physical filing.

High Court of Karnataka

17.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Karnataka issued a notice concerning physical filing of Bail Petitions under Sections 438 and 439 of Cr. PC. and Caveat Petitions.</i>
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Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for District Judiciary.

High Court of Karnataka

17.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Karnataka issued a Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for the District Judiciary with effect from 18.10. 2020.</i>
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Guidelines concerning Subordinate Courts / Special Courts / Tribunals.

High Court of Rajasthan

17.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued guidelines concerning functioning of Subordinate Courts / Special Courts / Tribunals with effect from 19.10.2020.</i>
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It has been decided that from 19.10.2020, all the Subordinate Courts / Special Courts / Tribunals, except the courts of Jaipur Metropolitan-I, Jaipur Metropolitan-II and Bikaner Judgeships situated at District Headquarters, shall start / continue regular functioning with physical presence of learned Advocates, Litigants and other concerned stakeholders.

Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for regular resumption of advocate chambers.

High Court of Gujarat

17.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a SOP for regular resumption of advocate's chambers.</i>
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Order concerning non-sitting of courts in the High Court of Allahabad and Lucknow.

High Court of Allahabad

12.10.2020	-	<i>High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning non-sitting of courts in the High Court at Allahabad and Lucknow on 23.10.2020 due to COVID-19 preventive measures.</i>
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Notification concerning physical hearing of cases in the Madras High Court Arbitration Centre

High Court of Madras

12.10.2020	229 / 2020	<i>High Court of Madras issued a notification concerning physical hearing of Madras High Court Arbitration Centre in terms of the Standard Operating Procedure followed by the High Court of Madras.</i>
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Standard Operating Procedure on Studio Hearing in the High Court of Patna

High Court of Patna

12.10.2020		<p><i>High Court of Patna issued a Standard Operating Procedure for the functioning of Studio Based Courts in the High Court.</i></p> <p><i>The Hon'ble Judges will be sitting in their chambers and the learned advocates will argue their cases from a Courtroom designated for hearing (Studio Courtroom).</i></p>
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Notice concerning next date of hearing for pending matters before Principal Bench and Court No. II to VI, New Delhi to 02.11.2020 onwards.



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*National Company Law Tribunal
(Delhi)*

09.10.2020	-	<i>National Company Law Tribunals issued a notice concerning extension of next date of hearing for the Principal Bench, Court Nos. II to VI, New Delhi to 02.11.2020.</i>
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Letter concerning working of courts in the States of Punjab, Haryana and Union Territory.

Punjab and Haryana High Court

09.10.2020	41 / RG / Spl. / Misc.	<i>High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued a letter to all the District and Session Judges in the State of Punjab, Haryana and Union Territory stating that the health advisories / guidelines and other Standard Operating Procedure issued by the government of India and the state government must be followed.</i>
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Letter concerning working of courts in the States of Punjab, Haryana and Union Territory.

High Court of Punjab and Haryana

09.10.2020	No. 42 / RG / Spl. / Misc	<i>High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued a letter to all the District and Session Judges in the State of Punjab, Haryana and Union Territory concerning filing of non-urgent cases in addition to the other categories of cases already allowed to be filed.</i>
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Circular concerning extension of video conferencing and e-filing guidelines at Principal Seat at Jabalpur and Benches at Indore and Gwalior.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

09.10.2020	No. 127 / PR (J) / 2020	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a circular concerning extension of the video conferencing and e-filing guidelines vide Circular No. 38 dated 30.05.2020 for submitting urgent cases / applications / documents physically at Principal Seat at Jabalpur and Benches at Indore and Gwalior with effect from 12.09.2020 till 16.09.2020.</i>
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Circular concerning directions for functioning of the High Court as well as Subordinate Courts including Family Courts in the State of Madhya Pradesh.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

09.10.2020	No. B / 4008	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a circular concerning extension of Circular No. B/3817 dated 01.10.2020 i.e., that limited virtual hearing of the High Court</i>
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		<i>as well as Subordinate Courts, including Family Court, is extended from 12.10.2020 till 16.10.2020.</i>

Office order concerning extension of present system of hearing before the Delhi High Court till 30.11.2020

High Court of Delhi

08.10.2020	No. 500 / RG / DHC / 2020	<p><i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning extension of the present system of hearing the matters till 30.11.2020.</i></p> <p><i>The cases instituted in the year 2018, 2019 and 2020 shall also be taken up for hearing as per roster, with effect from 17.11.2020.</i></p>
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Order concerning extension of video conferencing guidelines for urgent cases including bail applications and applications for suspension of sentence.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

08.10.2020		<p><i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued an order concerning the guidelines for listing of bail applications and applications for suspension of sentence with effect from 12.09.2020 till 16.09.2020 at Principal Seat Jabalpur and benches at Indore and Gwalior.</i></p>
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Circular concerning commencement of miscellaneous weeks from 12.10.2020 and 26.10.2020.

Supreme Court of India

07.10.2020	F.NO. 12/Judl./2020	<p><i>Supreme Court of India issued a circular concerning commencement of miscellaneous weeks from 12.10.2020 and 26.10.2020.</i></p>
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Circular concerning email addresses for hearing.

Supreme Court of India

07.10.2020		<p><i>Supreme Court of India issued a circular concerning necessary e-mail addresses for hearing.</i></p>
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Notification concerning functioning of the High Court and District Courts through virtual hearing and regulated physical hearing

High Court of Manipur



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
05.10.2020	Notification No. 89	<p><i>High Court of Manipur issued a notification concerning the un-lockdown guidelines issued by the Government of India on 30.09.2020 and subsequently by the Government of Manipur dated 01.10.2020.</i></p> <p><i>The High Court Judges have agreed that virtual courts will be continued from 06.10.2020 onwards for the next 15 days and regular sitting of the High Court and District Court will be regulated till 06.11.2020 in anticipation of resumption of physical hearing..</i></p>

Modified special Standard Operating Procedure for District Judiciary.

High Court of Karnataka

05.10.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a modified special Standard Operating Procedure for the District Judiciary.

According to the Standard Operating Procedure, child witnesses appearing for giving evidence will not have to take a COVID – 19 test.

Notification concerning continuation of functioning of High Court as per earlier references in view of Covid-19 pandemic.

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

04.10.2020

R.O.C No. 192 / SO / 2020

High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification concerning extension of the limited functioning of the High Court, and offices under the administrative control of the High Court from 05.10.2020 till 03.11.2020.

Circular concerning hearing in the Subordinate Courts including Tribunal and Labour Courts through video conferencing in view of Covid-19 pandemic.

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

04.10.2020

High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued the circular that virtual hearing in the Subordinate Courts including Tribunals and Labour Courts will continue from 05.10.2020 till 03.11.2020 in view of the earlier circulars issued on account of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Notification concerning extension of physical hearing and virtual hearing arrangements in the High Court till 06.11.2020

High Court of Telangana



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03.10.2020

High Court of Telangana has issued a notification concerning extension of the present practice of virtual and physical hearing of the matters in the High Court premises till 06.11.2020.

Notification concerning extension of physical hearings in District Courts till 06.11.2020

High Court of Telangana

03.10.2020

ROC No. 394/SO/2020

High Court of Telangana has issued a notification concerning extension of physical hearing in the District Courts till 06.11.2020 in view of the un-lockdown guidelines and requests from advocates.

Notification concerning publication of the Electronic Filing (e-filing) in the High Court of Madhya Pradesh Rules, 2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

03.10.2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh published the Electronic Filing (e-filing) Rules, 2020 with effect from 02.10.2020

Notification concerning benches that will function from 05.10.2020. to 21.10.2020

High Court of Calcutta

30.09.2020

High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning benches that will function from 05.10.2020 to 21.10.2020 for taking up matters of the Circuit Bench of High Court at Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands through Video Conferencing.

Notice concerning next date of hearing for pending matters (NCLT, Delhi)

National Company Law Tribunal (Delhi Bench)

30.09.2020

NCLT, Delhi issued a notice concerning next date of hearing for pending matters before the Principal Bench and New Delhi Court Nos. II to VI to 12.10.2020 onwards.

Notice concerning extension of suspended functioning of High Court.

High Court of Delhi

30.09.2020

High Court of Delhi issued a notice concerning extension of suspended functioning of High Court till 10.08.2020.



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		<i>(The matter listed for hearing through video conferencing and physical hearing will continue as per the roster dated 11.09.2020.)</i>

Standard Operating Procedure for District Judiciary

High Court of Karnataka

30.09.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued Special Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) concerning functioning of the District Judiciary in view of direction issued by the Apex Court in Writ Petition (Civil) No.699/2016 dated 16.09.2020.

Notice concerning physical court proceedings.

High Court of Madras

30.09.2020

High Court of Madras issued a notice concerning physical court proceedings with 21 Judges with effect from 05.10.2020.

Order concerning automatic extension of interim orders.

High Court Telangana

30.09.2020

High Court of Telangana issued certain directions concerning automatic extension of interim orders till 06.11.2020.

Order concerning next date of hearing for the matters already fixed from 01.10.2020 to 31.10.2020.

High Court of Punjab and Haryana

29.09.2020

Order No. 40 / RG / Spl.Misc

High Court Punjab and Haryana issued an order concerning next date of hearing for the matters already fixed from 01.10.2020 to 31.10.2020.

Circular concerning relief in urgent matters on Court holidays or after court hours.

High Court of Gujarat

29.09.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning filing of urgent matters on court holidays or after court hours from 01.10.2020 to 31.10.2020.

Advocates can approach the Senior Officer named in the Circular. Such Officer shall screen the papers and obtain necessary permission or approval from the Hon'ble Chief Justice and inform the Advocates about the directions received and list the matter before the concerned Court.



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New Standard Operating Procedure for High Court.

High Court of Karnataka

29.09.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a new Standard Operating Procedure concerning functioning of the High Court with effect from 05.10.2020.

Notice concerning extended period of limitation under Section 4 of the Limitation Act.

High Court Karnataka

29.09.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a notice concerning Section 4 of the Limitation Act, 1963. It is provided that where the prescribed period for any suit, appeal or application expires on a day when the Court is closed, the suit, appeal or application may be instituted on the day when the Court reopens.

Order concerning arrangements for listing of matters.

High Court of Madras

29.09.2020

High Court of Madras issued standing orders for the Principal Bench concerning matters that are not listed due to the unavailability of any Court.

Order concerning arrangements for listing of matters.

High Court of Madras (Madurai Bench)

29.09.2020

High Court of Madras issued standing orders for the Madurai Bench concerning matters that are not listed due to the unavailability of any Court.

Extension of time-limit under Section 12A of the Commercial Courts Act, 2015.

High Court of Kerala

28.09.2020

High Court of Kerala published a letter from the Government of India concerning extension of time-limit prescribed under Section 12A of the Commercial Courts Act 2015.

Order concerning modalities of the functioning of the High Court and the Subordinate Courts.

High Court of Calcutta



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24.09.2020	No. 3667 - RG	<i>High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning the changed modalities of the functioning of the High Court and the Subordinate Courts.</i>

Notification concerning functioning of the High Court.

High Court of Calcutta

24.09.2020	No. 3645 - RG.	<p><i>High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning functioning of the High Court with effect from 28.09.2020 through video conferencing.</i></p> <p><i>The High Court has constituted Benches from 30.09.2020 for taking up matters of the Circuit Bench of High Court of Calcutta at Port Blair, Andaman and Nicobar Islands through Video Conferencing and also Benches for taking up criminal cases.</i></p>
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Official Memorandum concerning physical hearing in all Subordinate Courts.

High Court of Madras

24.09.2020	R.O.C. No. 1363 / 2020 / RG / Sub/Courts	<i>High Court of Madras issued an Official Memorandum concerning physical hearing in all Subordinate Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu and in the Union Territory of Puducherry.</i>
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Notification concerning suspension of normal functioning of the High Court and its Subordinate Courts.

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

23.09.2020	ROC No. 192 / so / 2020	<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court, State Legal Services Authority, High Court Legal Services Committee, Arbitration and Mediation Centre and Subordinate Courts including Labour Courts and Tribunals under the control of the High Court from 24.09.2020 to 03.10.2020</i>
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Order concerning listing of matters.

High Court of Allahabad

23.09.2020		<p><i>High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning listing of matters that were fixed for 25.09.2020 (as the High Court is not functioning on 25.09.2020 due to COVID 19).</i></p> <p><i>Such matters will now be listed before a Special Bench from 30.09.2020 onwards.</i></p>
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Notice concerning closure of registry at NCLT, Chandigarh.

National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT)

22.09.2020

NCLT issued a notice concerning closure of the registry in NCLT, Chandigarh due to COVID-19 till 25.09.2020.

Notice concerning closure of registry at NCLT, Cuttack.

National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT)

22.09.2020

NCLT issued a notice concerning closure of the registry in NCLT, Cuttack due to COVID-19 till 25.09.2020.

Circular concerning functioning of subordinate courts / special courts / tribunal.

High Court of Rajasthan

19.09.2020

No. 26 / PI / 2020

High Court of Rajasthan issued a circular concerning functioning of the subordinate courts / special courts / tribunal through video conferencing from 21.09.2020 to 03.10.2020.

Standard Operating Procedure for District and Trial Courts

High Court of Karnataka

18.09.2020

High Court of Karnataka has issued a modified Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for district and trial Courts concerning resumption of physical hearing with effect from 28.09.2020.

Circular concerning supply of certified copies to the advocates and litigants in physical form.

High Court of Gujarat

17.09.2020

No. RJ / 08 / 2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning supply of certified copies to the advocates and litigants in physical form with effect from 18.09. 2020.

Notification regarding constitution of circuit benches of Calcutta High Court

High Court of Calcutta

16.09.2020

No. 3464 – RG

High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning a bench which will function during the period from 21.09.2020 till 25.09.2020, together with the



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constitution of Benches on 23.09.2020 for taking up matters of the Circuit Bench of Calcutta High Court at Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands through Video Conferencing.

Notification directing District Judges to refrain from complete shutdown of Judicial Work

High Court of Calcutta

16.09.2020	No. 3108 A	<i>High Court of Calcutta issued a notice to the District Judges of West Bengal and Andaman & Nicobar Islands to refrain from complete shutdown of judicial work in any station under their judgeship owing to COVID-19 infection to a Judicial Officer / Staff Member / Member of local Bar.</i>
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Notification regarding constitution of special benches

High Court of Allahabad

16.09.2020		<i>High Court of Allahabad issued a notification concerning the constitution of special benches w.e.f. from 21.09.2020 to 24.09.2020 at the High Court of Allahabad.</i>
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Notification regarding suspension of normal functioning of the High Court

High Court of Orrisa

16.09.2020		<i>High Court of Orrisa issued a notification pursuant to the resolution of the full court that the normal functioning of the High Court will remain suspended till 09.10.2020.</i>
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Circular concerning advocates / parties to submit the documents not on record prior to the date of hearing.

High Court of Tripura

16.09.2020	No. F.4 (37) HC / Vol. II / 2019 – 20 / 13306	<i>High Court of Tripura issued a circular concerning submissions of documents that are not on record before the date of hearing by email at vcourt.thc@gmail.com.</i>
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Notification concerning suspension of judicial and administrative functioning of the High Court.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

15.09.2020	No. B / 3543	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a notification that the judicial and administrative functioning of the High Court at Principal Seat, Jabalpur and its Registry shall remain closed for the period from 16.09.2020 till 20.09.2020.</i>
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Notice concerning e-filing of cases

High Court of Patna

15.09.2020

High Court of Patna issued a notice concerning upgradation of the e-filing system by the e-committee of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The advocates, parties - in-person shall be required to log in on the e-filing portal <https://efiling.ecourts.gov.in/br>

Circular concerning suspension of physical hearing.

High Court Gujarat

15.09.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning suspension of physical hearings from 14.09.2020. The Hon'ble Judges presiding over the Benches for physical functioning will revert to virtual hearing as per appropriate orders.

Notification concerning publication of daily list three days in advance.

High Court of Gujarat

14.09.2020

No. 8081 / R(J) / 2020

High Court of Chhattisgarh issued a notification concerning the order of the Chief Justice, wherein the Chief Justice has directed publication of the daily list three days in advance.

Release of user guide for limited physical hearing

Supreme Court of India

12.09.2020

Supreme Court of India issued a user guide for e-nomination of Counsel / Clerk for limited physical hearings in the Supreme Court.

Order concerning limited functioning of the High Court

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

12.09.2020

No. C/2214

High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued an order concerning extension of the limited functioning of the High Court and the Subordinate Courts including family courts in terms of Circular no. D / 2377 dated 27.06.2020 from 14.09.2020 to 18.09.2020.

Standard Operating Procedure for resumption of physical functioning of High Court of Gujarat



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High Court of Gujarat

12.09.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a Standard Operating Procedure for the resumption of physical functioning of the High Court.

Circular concerning a list of vacation officers for screening of matters seeking relief in urgent matters

Supreme Court of India

11.09.2020

F.No.4 / Judl . / 2020

Supreme Court of India issued a circular stating that advocates seeking relief in urgent matters, either during court holidays or after court hours, shall first approach the vacation officer.

Order concerning non-sitting of Court

High Court of Allahabad

11.09.2020

High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning non-sitting of courts on 14.09.2020 and 15.09.2020 to ensure proper and effective sanitisation and remedial measures. Also, there shall be no physical / e-filing on the said dates.

Order concerning hearing of matters before Special Benches

High Court of Allahabad

11.09.2020

High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning the next date of hearing for matters listed on 11th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th of September 2020, which will now be placed before Special Benches from 21.09.2020 onwards sequentially.

Order concerning extension of guidelines for video conferencing and e-filing

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

11.09.2020

Circular No. 110/PR (J)/2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued an order concerning the extension of video conferencing and e-filing guidelines from 14.09.2020 to 18.09.2020 at the Principal Seat at Jabalpur and Benches at Indore and Gwalior.

(earlier guidelines - Circular No. 38)

Notice concerning e-Lok Adalat.

High Court Gujarat



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11.09.2020		<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a notice concerning e-Lok Adalat scheduled on 26.09.2020 and enlisted the category of matters that will be taken up.</i>

Standard Operating Procedure for e-Lok Adalat

High Court of Gujarat

11.09.2020		<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a Standard Operating Procedure for the e-Lok Adalat to be held on 26.09.2020</i>
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Notification concerning functioning of the High Court.

High Court of Rajasthan

10.09.2020	No.PA / RG / Misc./2020	<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued a notification concerning the functioning of the High Court at Jodhpur and Jaipur Bench through video conferencing from 14.09.2020 to 01.10.2020 for fresh matters and cases of urgent nature.</i>
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Order concerning launch of E-Pass for entry of Advocates and Parties-in-Person.

High Court of Madras

10.09.2020	R.O.C. No.23594A / 2020 / Comp3	<i>High Court of Madras issued an order concerning launch of E-Pass for entry of Advocates and Parties-in-Person.</i>
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Notice concerning closure of NCLT, Mumbai registry till 15.09.2020.

National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai (NCLT)

09.09.2020		<i>The NCLT Mumbai issued a notice concerning closure of the registry till 15.09.2020. However, the virtual hearing of cases shall continue as usual.</i>
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Circular concerning guidelines for subordinate courts along with Standard Operating Procedure for physical hearing.

High Court of Gujarat

09.09.2020		<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning the guidelines for subordinate courts along with a Standard Operating Procedure for physical hearing with effect from 14.09.2020.</i>
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Order concerning withdrawal of an office order that directed the parties to file default record from Information Utility for applications under Section 7 of the IBC

National Company Law Tribunal

07.09.2020

National Company Law Tribunal issued an order concerning withdrawal of an office order dated 13.08.2020 that directed parties to file default record from Information Utility for applications under Section 7 of the IBC.

Order concerning consent for physical hearing commencing from 14.09.2020.

High Court of Gujarat

07.09.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued an order concerning consent of Advocates for physical hearing in court.

Notification concerning e-filing of consumer cases.

The National Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission

(NCDRC)

07.09.2020

The National Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission (NCDRC) issued a notification concerning e-filing of consumer cases.

Notice concerning priority of listing of first bail applications and first applications for suspension of sentence.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

05.09.2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a notice concerning priority of listing of first bail applications and first applications for suspension of sentence.

Circular concerning extension of guidelines for video conferencing & e-filing.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

05.09.2020

Circular No. 104 /PR(J)/2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a circular concerning extension of guidelines for video conferencing and e-filing for a further period w.e.f. from 07.09.2020 to 11.09.2020.



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Circular concerning extension of limited functioning of the Subordinate courts including Family Courts.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

05.09.2020	C / 2144	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a circular concerning extension of limited functioning of the Subordinate Courts including family courts from 07.09.2020 to 12.09.2020.</i>
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Standard Operating Procedure for limited physical hearing before the Hon'ble High Court.

High Court of Telangana

04.09.2020	ROC No.394 / SO / 2020	<i>High Court of Telangana issued a Standard Operating Procedure for limited physical hearing before the Hon'ble High Court.</i>
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Notice concerning next date of hearing for matters pending before the Principal Bench and other courts in NCLT, New Delhi.

National Company Law Tribunal

04.09.2020		<i>National Company Law Tribunal issued a notice concerning next date of hearing for the matters pending before the Principal Bench and New Delhi Court No. II to VI to 01.10.2020.</i>
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Standard Operating Procedure for filings along with general directions to the Advocates.

High Court of Karnataka

03.09.2020		<i>High Court of Karnataka issued a revised Standard Operating Procedure for physical filing and e-filings along with general directions to the Advocates for the purpose of physical hearings with effect from 07.09.2020.</i>
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Circular concerning directions to all subordinate courts for not passing any adverse orders in the cases where parties do not lead evidence.

High Court of Rajasthan

03.09.2020	No. 24/ P1 / 2020	<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued a circular concerning directions to all subordinate courts / special courts / tribunals that till 30.09.2020, no adverse orders would be passed in the cases where parties do not lead evidence and evidence would only be recorded in cases where the parties are desirous to do so, while ensuring all preventive measures and social distancing.</i>
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Order concerning opening of physical courts partially.

High Court of Telangana

03.09.2020	ROC.NO.394/SO/2020	<i>The High Court of Telangana issued an order concerning reopening of courts for physical hearing partially with the Hon'ble Division Bench-I and 4 Single Benches for the period commencing from 07.09.2020 to 11.09.2020.</i>
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Order concerning opening of district courts physically on an experimental basis

High Court of Telangana

03.09.2020	ROC.NO.394/SO/2020	<i>The High Court of Telangana has issued an order concerning (i) reopening of the physical hearing of cases on experimental basis in the Unit of Karimnagar Judicial District for the period commencing from 07.09.2020 to 11.09.2020 by following the instructions in Phase-I of the SOP dated 08.06.2020 and (ii) to extend the physical closure of Subordinate Courts for regular judicial work in other Judicial Districts in the State till 21.9.2020 and (iii) to continue the present practice of filing of cases either by way of Physical mode or online filing, and hearing through Video Conferencing.</i>
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Order concerning steps to be taken for phased resumption of physical functioning of Courts

High Court of Gujarat

02.09.2020	<i>High Court of Gujarat issued an order concerning the steps to be taken for resumption of physical hearing of matters from 14.09.2020</i>
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Order concerning filing of cases.

High Court of Gujarat

02.09.2020	<i>High Court of Gujarat issued an order concerning filing of cases through e-filing mode or physical mode and not through e-mail, with effect from 14.09.2020.</i>
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Circular and Standard Operation Procedure concerning resumption of physical hearing of Delhi International Arbitration Centre.

High Court of Delhi

(Delhi International Arbitration Centre)



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01.09.2020	No. 03 / DIAC / DHC / SR – 20	<i>High Court of Delhi issued a circular and a Standard Operating Procedure concerning resumption of physical functioning of Delhi International Arbitration Centre with effect from 01.09.2020.</i>

Office Memorandum concerning physical hearing in the Districts of Chennai, Kancheepuram and Tiruvallur and in subordinate courts in all other districts.

High Court of Madras

01.09.2020	ROC No. 1362 / 2020 / RG / Sub. Courts	<i>High Court of Madras issued an Office Memorandum concerning physical hearing in the Districts of Chennai, Kancheepuram and Tiruvallur and in subordinate courts in all other districts in the State of Tamil Nadu with effect from 07.09.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning instructions for physical hearing in the High Court

High Court of Madras

01.09.2020	Notification No. 186 / 2020	<i>High Court of Madras issued a notification concerning instructions to Advocates / Parties pursuant to resumption of physical hearing in the High Court.</i>
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Order concerning regular sitting of the Court

High Court of Manipur

01.09.2020	Notification No. 82	<i>The High Court of Manipur issued an order stating that sitting of regular court for both the High Court and District Court / Tribunals shall be regulated till 15.09.2020 in anticipation of resumption of regular physical court sitting as per guidelines.</i> <i>All courts in Manipur including the High Court will take up motion cases, urgent cases and limited regular pending cases through video conferencing.</i>
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Order concerning extension of interim orders.

High Court of Bombay

31.08.2020		<i>High Court of Bombay passed an order concerning extension of interim orders from 15.07.2020 to 30.09.2020 or until further orders, whichever is earlier.</i>
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Standard Operating Procedure for limited physical hearing.

Supreme Court of India



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31.08.2020		<i>Supreme Court of India issued a Standard Operating Procedure to all the Advocates / Party – in – Person / Registered Clerk for limited physical hearing.</i>

Circular concerning hearing of matters through physical appearance.

Supreme Court of India

31.08.2020		<i>Supreme Court of India issued a circular concerning hearing of matters through physical appearance.</i>
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Office memorandum concerning functioning of the Subordinate Courts

High Court of Madras

31.08.2020	R.O.C.No.1363/2020/RG/Sub. Courts	<i>High Court of Madras issued an office memorandum concerning all Subordinate Courts in all Districts in the State of Tamil Nadu and in Puducherry to continue function with effect from 1.09.2020 till 06.09.2020, as functioning up till now.</i>
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Notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court and the Subordinate Courts.

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

31.08.2020	ROC No. 192 / SO / 2020	<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court and Subordinate Court till 21.09.2020, only urgent matters as per the Circular dated 16.03.2020 will be taken up.</i>
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Order of the Chief Justice concerning non-sitting of the Court

High Court at Allahabad

31.08.2020		<i>High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning non-siting of court on 04.09.2020.</i> <i>Only urgent matters mentioned before the Chief Justice shall be taken and no other Court shall be sitting. There shall be no physical / e-filing on 04.09.2020.</i>
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Order concerning hearing of matters on 04.09.2020

High Court at Allahabad

31.08.2020		<i>High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning hearing of matters fixed for 04.09.2020, or to be taken up on 04.09.2020 in view of earlier orders dated</i>
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		<i>17.08.2020 and 21.08.2020 shall be placed before Special Benches at Allahabad on 08.09.2020 onwards, sequentially.</i>

Circular concerning guidelines for video conferencing & e-filing.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

29.08.2020	Circular No. 07 /PR(J)/2020	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a circular concerning extension of guidelines for video conferencing and e-filing to 04.09.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning physical hearing of the High Court

High Court of Madras

29.08.2020	R.O.C.NO.1363/2020/RG/HC	<p><i>High Court of Madras issued a notification concerning the decision of the Administrative Committee of the High Court to start physical hearing partially with 6 Division Benches at the Principal Seat at Madras and 2 Division Benches at Madurai Bench, with a combination of physical hearings and virtual court hearings with effect from 07.09.2020.</i></p> <p><i>The Physical hearings of the 3 Division Benches in the Principal Seat at Madras will be in the pre-lunch session and 3 Division Benches in the post-lunch session to avoid overcrowding. The virtual hearings will be alternatively conducted for the rest of the day.</i></p>
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Office Order concerning change of mode for hearing by the Advocates / Party-in-Person.

High Court of Delhi

29.08.2020	No. 863	<p><i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning change of mode for hearing by the Advocates / Party – in – Person i.e., from video conferencing to physical hearing.</i></p> <p><i>The Advocates / Party – in - Person have been directed to file their joint consent five days prior to the date of listing.</i></p>
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Notice concerning revised timings of the Registrar Court.

Supreme Court of India

28.08.2020		<i>Supreme Court of India issued a notice concerning revised timings of the Registrar Court No. 1 presided over by Anil Laxman Pansare from 2:30 to 12:30.</i>
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Office Order concerning directions to pay the requisite court fee accompanied with affidavit duly attested by the Oath Commissioner.

High Court of Delhi

28.08.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning directions to pay the requisite court fee accompanied with the affidavit duly attested by the Oath Commissioner with effect from 01.09.2020.

Office Order concerning dress code for the Advocates during appearance through video conferencing or otherwise.

High Court Delhi

28.08.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning dress code for the Advocates during appearance through video conferencing or otherwise.

Notice regarding physical filing.

High Court of Karnataka

28.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a notice concerning facility for physical filing of statement of objections, written submissions (when expressly permitted by the Court), memos, documents, citations, vakalath and affidavit at a special counter set up near Gate No.5.

New Standard Operating Procedure for District Judiciary from 31.08.2020 until further orders

High Court of Karnataka

27.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a new Standard Operating Procedure with effect from 31.08.2020 till further orders for main matters or I.A's, fixed for oral arguments and few matters for recording of evidence through video conferencing, preferably the matters where evidence has been partly recorded, shall be listed, i.e., a) Fifteen cases in the Morning session; b) Fifteen cases in the Afternoon session. As far as possible no case shall be heard in absence of Advocates.

Standard Operating Procedure for participating in the virtual court proceedings through Jitsi-Meet Application.

High Court of Rajasthan



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27.08.2020		<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued a Standard Operating Procedure to Advocates and Party – in – person for attending virtual court proceedings through Jitsi-Meet Application.</i>

Office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court.

High Court of Delhi

27.08.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 30.09.2020.

Circular concerning discontinuation of practice to file urgent note

High Court of Gujarat

27.08.2020

High Court of Gujarat has issued a circular discontinuing the practice of filing of urgent note in fresh and pending judicial matters by the learned Advocates / Party-in-Persons with effect from 26.08.2020.

Revised Standard Operating Procedure for District Judiciary w.e.f. 31.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka

27.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a Revised Standard Operating Procedure to be followed by District Judiciary in supersession of earlier SOPs, addendums, circulars and notices with effect from 31.08.2020.

Standard Operating Procedure concerning resumption of limited physical functioning.

High Court of Delhi

27.08.2020

High Court of Delhi issued a Standard Operating Procedure concerning resumption of limited physical functioning in the High Court with effect from 01.09.2020

Order concerning listing of matters.

High Court of Punjab and Haryana

27.08.2020

High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued an order concerning next date of hearing for the matters that were fixed for hearing from 01.09.2020 to 30.09.2020.



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Orders regarding working on Saturday in this High Court and Subordinate Courts

High Court of Punjab and Haryana

27.08.2020

High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued an order concerning closure of subordinate courts in the States of Punjab, Haryana and U.T. of Chandigarh as well as establishment of the High Court on Saturday for the time being till further orders owing to the pandemic. However, Officers / Officials of the Subordinated Courts and the High Court shall continue to work from home on said days and shall not leave the station without the prior permission of the competent authority.

Office order concerning listing of non-urgent / normal matters.

High Court of Delhi

24.08.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning listing of non – urgent / normal matters with effect from 01.09.2020. The number of cases, however, would be restricted to three to five before each Roster Bench.

Office order concerning procuring requisite court fee for all the matter that were filed on or after 25.03.2020 without court fees or with deficit court fee.

High Court of Delhi

22.08.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning procuring requisite court fee for the matters that were filed on or after 25.03.2020 without court fees or with deficit court fees within 30 days.

Notification concerning extension of suspended functioning till 29.08.2020.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

21.08.2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court and its subordinate courts till 29.08.2020.

Circular concerning listing and hearing of miscellaneous matters.

Supreme Court of India

20.08.2020

Supreme Court of India issued a circular concerning listing and hearing of miscellaneous matters, with effect from 24.08.2020 onwards, till further orders.



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Circular concerning hearing of matters through video conferencing and seeking consent of Advocates-on-Record / Party-in-Person willing to physically appear and argue in the Court.

Supreme Court of India

20.08.2020

Supreme Court of India issued a circular concerning hearing of matters through video conferencing and seeking consent of all Advocates-on-Record / Party-in-Person willing to physically appear and argue in the Court for the cases mentioned in the circular by 22.08.2020.

Notice concerning revised Standard Operating Procedure regarding mentioning memo.

High Court of Karnataka

20.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a revised notice concerning the Standard Operating Procedure for mentioning specific details in the memo in cases of bail application, anticipatory bail application and civil matters.

Order concerning cancellation of physical filing of cases.

High Court of Allahabad

19.08.2020

High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning cancellation of physical filing of cases on 20.08.2020 and 21.08.2020.

Order concerning e-filing of urgent application for filing a fresh matter.

High Court of Allahabad

19.08.2020

High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning e-filing of urgent application for filing a fresh matter.

Notification concerning extension of suspended functioning till 01.09.2020.

High Court of Manipur

17.08.2020

Notification No. 76

High Court of Manipur issued a notification concerning the extension of suspended functioning of the High Court and District Courts / Tribunals till 01.09.2020.

Order concerning procedure for filing of urgent applications through e-filing from 17.08.2020 to 19.08.2020.



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High Court of Allahabad

16.08.2020

High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning the procedure for filing urgent applications and fresh matters through e-filing from 17.08.2020 to 19.08.2020.

Order concerning physical filings.

High Court of Gujarat

15.08.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued an order concerning the procedure for physical filings.

Officer order concerning extension of suspended functioning till 31.08.2020

High Court of Delhi

15.08.2020

No. 288 / RG / DHC / 2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning the extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 31.08.2020.

Order concerning extension of interim orders.

High Court of Telangana

14.08.2020

High Court of Telangana issued an order concerning the extension of all interim orders till 10.09.2020.

Circular concerning entry of Advocates or Party-in-Person for depositing documents or payments.

Supreme Court of India

14.08.2020

F. No. 01 / Misc / 20 / SCI (PR)

Supreme Court of India issued a circular to streamline the entry of Advocates / Party-in-person who have to deposit documents / payments etc. with concerned Sections / Branches on the directions of different Benches of the Supreme Court.

Notification concerning virtual court proceedings to be held through "Microsoft Team App" with effect from 17.08.2020.

High Court of Madras



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12.08.2020	Notification No. 168/2020	<i>High Court of Madras issued a notification concerning virtual court proceedings to be held in the Principal Seat and Madurai Bench of the High Court through "Microsoft Teams App" with effect from 17.08.2020.</i>

Notice concerning New Standard Operating Procedure regarding mentioning memo.

High Court of Karnataka

10.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a notice concerning a new Standard Operating Procedure for mentioning specific details in the memo in cases of bail application, anticipatory bail application and civil matters.

Officer order concerning extension of suspended functioning till 05.09.2020

High Court of Telangana

10.08.2020

High Court of Telangana issued an office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of regular work in the High Court till 05.09.2020.

Revised Standard Operating Procedure for participating in the court proceedings through Cisco Webex

High Court of Rajasthan

High Court of Rajasthan issued a revised Standard Operating Procedure for participating in the court proceedings through Cisco Webex.

Office Order concerning payment of court fee while filing a case either physical or through e-filing.

High Court of Delhi

06.08.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning payment of the requisite court fee while filing matters either physically or through e-filing.

The High Court has further granted 15 days' time to advocates / litigants to file the requisite court fees in cases that were filed on or after 25.03.2020.

Notification on extension of period of closure under Section 4 of the Limitation Act, 1963

High Court of Karnataka

05.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a notification concerning extension of period of closure under Section 4 of the Limitation Act, 1963 till 30.09.2020 in respect of the High Court of Karnataka, Principal Bench at Bengaluru and Benches at



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		<i>Dharwad and Kalburgi, and all the District Courts, Trial Courts, Family Courts, Labour Courts and Industrial Tribunals.</i>

Notification concerning next date of hearing in all pending matters.

National Company Law Tribunal

04.08.2020

NCLT issued a notification concerning the next date of hearing for the matters fixed for hearing from 05.08.2020 onwards before the NCLT, Delhi Principal Bench and Court No. II, III, IV, V & VI.

Notice concerning listing of all matters which are ready for preliminary hearing or final hearing.

High Court of Karnataka, Bengaluru

03.08.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a notice concerning listing of all matters that are ready for preliminary hearing or final hearing through video conferencing.

Notification concerning functioning of the High Court of Andhra Pradesh in terms of the earlier notifications till 17.08.2020

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

03.08.2020

High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification stating that the functioning of the High Court will be in terms of the earlier notifications concerning urgent listing matters, e-filings and hearing through video conferencing till 17.08.2020.

Notification concerning application of Rules for On-Line Electronic Filing (e-filing), 2020 on all category of cases.

High Court of Sikkim

03.08.2020

High Court of Sikkim issued a notification concerning application of Rules for On-Line Electronic Filing (e-filing), 2020 on all category of cases.

Notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 21.08.2020.

High Court of Orissa

02.08.2020

High Court of Orissa issued a notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 21.08.2020.



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However, during this period the High Court shall have restricted functioning with limited number of judges by virtual mode as per the roster assigned by the Chief Justice.

Standard Operating Procedure for mentioning matter for hearing through virtual mode

National Company Law Appellate Tribunal

01.08.2020

NCLAT issued a Standard Operating Procedure for mentioning matters for hearing through virtual mode.

Notification regarding extension of suspended physical court hearing before the High Court and the Subordinate Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu and U.T. Puducherry from 01.08.2020 till 31.08.2020.

High Court of Madras

01.08.2020 R.O.C. No. 1363 / 2020 / RG / HC

High Court of Madras issued a notification regarding extension of suspended physical court hearings before the High Court and the Subordinate Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu and U.T. Puducherry from 01.08.2020 till 31.08.2020.

Notification concerning instructions for filing via e-mail.

High Court of Gujarat

31.07.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a notification concerning instructions for filing via e-mail along with e-mail addresses for filing.

Notification concerning framing of “The Madras High Court Video-Conferencing in Courts Rules, 2020”

High Court of Madras

30.07.2020 R.O.C. No.29030A / 2020 / Comp9

High Court of Madras issued a notification to all the Principal District Judges in the State of Tamil Nadu and the Chief Judge U.T. of Puducherry and officers of the High Court of Madras, Madurai Bench concerning [“The Madras High Court Video-Conferencing in Courts Rules, 2020”](#).

Office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court of Delhi till 14.08.2020

High Court of Delhi

30.07.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning suspended functioning of the High Court of Delhi till 14.08.2020.



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Office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the subordinate courts till 14.08.2020

High Court of Delhi

30.07.2020

High Court Delhi issued an office order concerning suspended functioning of the subordinate courts till 14.08.2020.

Circular concerning new facilities added in online mentioning platform.

High Court of Gujarat

29.07.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning new facilities added in the online mentioning platform, with effect from 31.07.2020.

Circular concerning refiling of matters filed before 15.06.2020

Supreme Court of India

28.07.2020

F.NO. 9 / Judl ./ 2020

Supreme Court of India issued a circular concerning refiling of matters filed before 15.06.2020 on a legal-size paper.

Standard Operating Procedure for filing of soft copy of the Petition in addition to physical filing.

Supreme Court of India

27.07.2020

F. No.10/Judl.2020

Supreme Court of India issued a circular concerning the Standard Operating Procedure for filing a soft copy of the petition as well as the accompanying documents, which are filed in physical form at the filing counter of the Registry.

Circular concerning guidelines for physical filing of all category of cases in the subordinate courts of Gujarat

High Court of Gujarat

27.07.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued guidelines concerning physical filing of all category of cases in the subordinate courts of Gujarat.

Order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 29.07.2020

High Court of Himachal Pradesh

27.07.2020

No. HHC / RG / C-19 / 2020-29

High Court of Himachal Pradesh issued an order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 29.07.2020.



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Notice concerning vacation in the High Court of Patna.

High Court of Patna

23.07.2020

High Court of Patna issued a notice concerning partial vacation in the High Court from 27.07.2020 to 06.08.2020, as the earlier Annual Vacation scheduled from 24.05.2020 to 21.06.2020 was deferred.

Order concerning physical hearing of matters as well hearing via video conferencing.

High Court of Allahabad

23.07.2020

High Court of Allahabad issued an order concerning resumption of physical hearings as well as video conferencing with effect from 27.07.2020.

The order has also allowed physical filing of matters as well as e-filing of matters with effect from 27.07. 2020.

Notification concerning filing of matters.

High Court of Calcutta

23.07.2020

No. 1952 – RG

High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning inter alia filings of matters i.e., all filings will be done in physical mode except filings for bail and anticipatory bail, for which filings may be done electronically, and for the period up to 15.08.2020 lawyers are advised to file only extremely urgent matters.

Notice concerning filing of matters.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

22.07.2020

No. 70 / PR(J) / 2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur issued a notice concerning extension of the previous circular dated 30.05.2020 wherein physical filing had been allowed for the period starting from [01.06.2020 to 06.06.2020](#). The circular has been further extended from 22.07.2020 to 25.07.2020 for the bench at Gwalior.

Order concerning suspension of normal functioning of the High Court.

High Court Chhattisgarh

21.07.2020

No. 81(Misc.) / II – 14- 1 / 2020

High Court of Chhattisgarh, Bilaspur issued an order concerning suspension of normal functioning of court from 23.07.2020 till 31.07.2020.



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Order concerning limited functioning of the High Court and its subordinate courts.

High Court of Tripura.

20.07.2020	No. F. 44 (1) (c) – HC / 2020 / 10894	<i>High Court of Tripura issued an order concerning limited functioning of the High Court and its subordinate courts from 21.07.2020 to 09.08.2020. During the aforesaid time period the court shall be considered closed for the purpose of Section 4 of the Limitation Act, 1963.</i>
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Notification concerning closing of Judicial working at High Court of Madhya Pradesh (Principal Seat at Jabalpur and Bench at Gwalior), all District Courts and Family Courts from till 25.07.2020.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

19.07.2020	No. C / 1778	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a notification concerning closing of judicial working at High Court of Madhya Pradesh (Principal Seat at Jabalpur and Bench at Gwalior), District Courts and Family Courts till 25.07.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning suspension of the Judicial and Administrative works on July 20, 22 and 24.

High Court of Calcutta

18.07.2020	No. 1947 – RG.	<i>The High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning suspension of the judicial and administrative work of the High Court from July 20, 2020 till July 22, 2020 and on July 24, 2020.</i>
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Notice concerning extension of interim orders

High Court of Rajasthan

18.07.2020		<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued a notice concerning next date of hearing and extension of interim orders for the cases that were fixed for 16.07.2020 and 17.07.2020 at High Court Principal Seat, Jodhpur and Jaipur Bench, Jaipur. Such matters have been adjourned to 31.08.2020 and 01.09.2020 respectively and the interim orders have been extended till the next date of hearing.</i>
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Notice concerning limited functioning of the court and filing of fresh cases through e-mails.

High Court of Odisha

18.07.2020		<i>High Court of Odisha issued a notice concerning limited functioning of the High Court and filing of fresh cases through e-mail up to 31.07.2020.</i>
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Office Order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 14.08.2020.

High Court of Telangana

18.07.2020	ROC No. 394 / SO / 2020	<i>High Court of Telangana issued an office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 14.08.2020.</i>
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Guidelines concerning mentioning before the High Court.

High Court of Madras

17.07.2020	-	<i>High Court of Madras issued guidelines for mentioning by Advocate / Party-in-person for listing of cases at the Principal Seat at Madras.</i>
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Circular concerning roster of the High Court with effect from July 20, 2020 and restoring circular dated 14.06.2020.

High Court of Gujarat

17.07.2020	-	<i>The High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning roster of the High Court with effect from July 20, 2020, and also restored the circular dated 14.06.2020 concerning instructions for filing of urgent fresh matters.</i>
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Order concerning additional benches at NCLT Cuttack to hear urgent applications

National Company Law Tribunal

17.07.2020	-	<i>NCLT (Cuttack Bench) issued an order concerning hearing of urgent matters through video conferencing by an additional bench, with effect from July 20, 2020.</i>
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Order concerning additional benches at NCLT Mumbai to hear urgent applications

National Company Law Tribunal

17.07.2020	-	<i>NCLT (Mumbai Bench) issued an order concerning hearing of urgent matters through video conferencing by an additional bench, with effect from July 20, 2020.</i>
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Office Order concerning filing of urgent matters.

High Court of Himachal Pradesh



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16.07.2020	No. HHC/Judl. / Misc. / CWP 2238 I 2020	<i>High Court of Himachal Pradesh issued an office order concerning instructions for filing of urgent matters.</i>

Notification concerning instructions to Judicial Officers and Advocates to wear robes during virtual hearings.

High Court of Andhra Pradesh, at Amravati

16.07.2020	ROC No. 192 / SO / 2020	<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification concerning instructions to Judicial Officers of the State and Advocates to wear robes during virtual hearings before the High Court, subordinate courts, tribunals, commissions and all other forums.</i>
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Notification concerning closing of Judicial working at High Court of Madhya Pradesh and its subordinate courts including Family Courts at Indore from 17.07.2020 to 24.07.2020.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

16.07.2020		<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a notification concerning closing of Judicial working at High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Bench at Indore and working of its registry and its subordinate courts including family courts at Indore from 17.07.2020 to 24.07.2020</i>
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Order concerning extension of interim orders.

High Court of Telangana

15.07.2020	Writ Petition (Urgent) No. 1 of 2020	<i>High Court of Telangana passed an order concerning extension of interim orders till 17.08.2020.</i>
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Order concerning extension of interim orders.

High Court of Allahabad

15.07.2020	Public Interest Litigation (PIL) No. - 564 of 2020	<i>High Court of Allahabad passed an order concerning extension of interim orders till 31.07.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning all Benches of the High Court and all District and Trial Courts to remain closed on all Saturdays till 08.08.2020.

High Court of Karnataka



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15.07.2020	No. HCE 181/2019	<i>High Court of Karnataka issued a notification concerning all benches of the High Court, district courts and trial courts in the state of Karnataka to remain closed on all Saturdays till 08.08.2020.</i>

Order concerning extension of interim orders.

High Court of Bombay

15.07.2020	Writ Petition (Urgent) 2 of 2020	<i>High Court of Bombay passed an order concerning extension of interim orders till 31.08.2020.</i>
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Office Order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court of Delhi till 31.07.2020

High Court of Delhi

13.07.2020	No.23/DHC/2020	<i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 31.07.2020.</i>
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Office Order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the courts subordinate to the High Court of Delhi till 31.07.2020

High Court of Delhi

13.07.2020	No.24/DHC/2020	<i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order concerning extension of suspended functioning of the courts subordinate to the High Court of Delhi till 31.07.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court of Calcutta till 19.07.2020

High Court at Calcutta

13.07.2020	No. 1946 –RG.	<i>High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of the High Court till 19.07.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning functioning of the High Court till 03.08.2020.

High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amravati

13.07.2020	ROC No. 192 / SO / 2020	<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amravati issued a notification concerning functioning of the High Court, state legal service committee and the arbitration and mediation centre w.e.f 14.07.2020 till 03.08.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning extension of all interim orders till 24.07.2020



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High Court of Rajasthan

13.07.2020

High Court of Rajasthan issued a notification concerning extension of all interim order for the matters listed between 09.07.2020 to 15.07.2020 before the Principal Seat Jodhpur and matters listed between 13.07.2020 to 15.07.2020 before the Jaipur bench.

Notification concerning listing of matters

High Court of Madras

13.07.2020

Notification No.142/2020

High Court of Madras issued a notification concerning listing of all fresh admissions, adjourned admission and notice of motion stage cases of all category of cases, and matters at final hearing stage of all classification will be listed only upon consent from the Advocates of both side.

Notification concerning instructions for e-filing

High Court of Madras

13.07.2020

High Court of Madras issued a notification concerning instructions for e-filing.

Guidelines for listing of matters w.e.f. from July 15, 2020 till July 17, 2020

High Court of Gujarat

13.07.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued guidelines for listing of matters w.e.f. from 15.07.2020 till 17.07.2020.

Standard operating Procedure for hearing of matters through videoconferencing / teleconferencing before the Ld. Registrars

Supreme Court of India

11.07.2020

Supreme Court issued a Standard operating Procedure concerning hearing of matters through video conferencing / teleconferencing before the Ld. Registrar.

Notification concerning suspension of judicial and administrative work of the Hon'ble High Court of Calcutta from 10.07.2020 till 13.07.2020

High Court of Calcutta



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
09.07.2020	No. 1928 – RG.	<i>High Court of Calcutta issued a notification concerning suspension of judicial and administrative work from 10.07.2020 till 13.07.202.</i>

Clarification regarding limitation for filing cases

High Court of Punjab and Haryana

09.07.2020	No. 30 / RG / Spl. /Misc.	<i>High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued a clarification stating that the limitation period for filing cases before the Hon'ble High Court and sub-ordinate courts will be subject to modification by orders passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.</i>
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Circular concerning suspension of work from 08.07.2020 to 10.07.2020

High Court of Gujarat

08.07.2020		<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a circular informing that judicial work will remain suspended as the entire premises of the High Court will be shut down from 08.07.2020 to 10.07.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning filing of physical copies

High Court of Madras

04.07.2020	Notification No. 134 / 2020	<i>High Court of Madras issued a notification containing instructions for filing hard copies of case papers.</i>
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Notification concerning functioning of the High Court of Madras

High Court of Madras

04.07.2020	ROC No. 1363 / 2020 / RG / HC	<i>High Court of Madras issued a notification concerning functioning of the full strength of the High Court via video conferencing w.e.f. 06.07.2020.</i>
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Standard Operating Procedure for Ld. Advocate/Party-in Person for e-Filing, Mentioning, Listing and Video Conferencing Hearing

Supreme Court of India

04.07.2020		<i>Supreme Court of India issued a fresh Standard Operating Procedure concerning e-filing, mentioning, listing and video conferencing hearings.</i>
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Notice concerning procedure for filing

High Court of Kerala

03.07.2020	A7 – 127 / 2020	<i>High Court of Kerala issued a notice stating that all matters except bail applications shall be filed in physical mode from 06.07.2020 until further orders.</i>
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Extension of interim orders

High Court of Karnataka

03.07.2020		<i>High Court of Karnataka issued a notice concerning extension of interim orders till 6.10.2020.</i>
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Physical filing of cases

Supreme Court of India

03.07.2020		<i>Supreme Court issued a circular stating that Filing Counters will re-open for physical acceptance of documents / filing from 04.07.2020 onwards.</i>
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Suspended functioning of NCLAT till 10.07.2020

NCLAT

02.07.2020		<i>NCLAT issued an order stating that Court work (Virtual hearing) and filing etc. in the NCLAT will remain suspended till 10.07.2020.</i>
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extension of interim orders for four weeks

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

02.07.2020	WP No.8130/2020	<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued an order extending the interim orders for four weeks.</i>
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Functioning of High Court for taking up urgent cases through Video Conferencing

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

01.07.2020		<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notice concerning use of video conferencing for court hearings till 13.07.2020.</i>
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Suspended functioning of High Courts and its subordinate courts till 15.07.2020

High Court Chhattisgarh

30.06.2020

High Court of Chhattisgarh issued a notice concerning suspended functioning of High Court and its subordinate courts.

Extension of suspended functioning of courts subordinate to Delhi High Court till 15.07.2020

Delhi High Court

29.06.2020

Delhi High Court issued a circular concerning extension of suspended functioning of courts subordinate to Delhi High Court till 15.07.2020

Listing of only extremely urgent matters

High Court of Gujarat

29.06.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued an order stating that only fresh matters of urgent nature of Temporary Bail, Regular Bail, Anticipatory Bail, Parole-Furlough matters, Habeas Corpus, Detention and extremely urgent fresh civil nature matters shall be listed. The order is applicable w.e.f July 1, 2020.

Extension of suspended functioning of Delhi High Court till 15.07.2020

Delhi High Court

29.06.2020

Delhi High Court issued a circular concerning extension of suspended functioning of Delhi High Court till 15.07.2020

Guidelines for video conferencing, e-filing and submitting urgent cases / applications /documents physically at Principal Seat Jabalpur and Bench at Gwalior

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

27.06.2020

No. 50 /PR(J)/2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh extended the enforcement period of the Circular No. 38 dated 30/05/2020 for a further period w.e.f. 29/06/2020 to 03/07/2020, for Principal Seat Jabalpur and Bench at Gwalior.

Rules concerning video conferencing for courts.

High Court Chhattisgarh



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27.06.2020		<i>High Court of Chhattisgarh issued rules concerning procedure of video conferencing for courts.</i>

Notice regarding On-Line Mediation Project at Samadhan for holding mediation session through Video Conferencing

Delhi High Court

26.06.2020

Delhi High Court Medication and Conciliation Centre issued a notice concerning video conferencing for mediation sessions..

Circular regarding maximum possible judicial work through video conferencing

High Court of Gujarat

26.06.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning instructions for maximum possible judicial work in the courts of Ahmedabad and all other district courts of the state in view of Covid-19.

Suspension of the working of High Court

High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amravati

25.06.2020

ROC No.192/SO/2020

High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification concerning suspended functioning of the High Court till 28.06.2020 due to outbreak of COVID-19.

Procedure for physical filing of matters in the high court of Bombay at the principal seat

High Court of Bombay

24.06.2020

High Court of Bombay issued a notice laying down the procedure for physical filing of matters w.e.f. June 25, 2020.

NCLT Chandigarh commences e-filing of application, petition, appeal, reply etc. from June 26, 2020

National Company Law Tribunal, Chandigarh

23.06.2020

The NCLT, Chandigarh issued a notice stating that it has commenced e-filing and therefore, all concerned are requested to file application / petition / appeal / reply etc. online through the NCLT e-filing portal (URL – www.nclt.gov.in) w.e.f. June 26, 2020

Arrangement in Court Proceedings till 30.06.2020



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High Court of Kerala

22.06.2020	A7 -127/2020	<i>High Court of Kerala issued a notification stating that after evaluating the situation due to COVID-19, it was decided that one Division Bench is constituted for the purpose of hearing fresh admission matters and appearance of counsel will not be insisted in any matter, in any physical sitting of courts. The arrangements will be reviewed after 30.06.2020.</i>
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Circular regarding public viewing of court proceedings.

High Court of Delhi

20.06.2020	No.01/IT/DHC/2020	<i>High Court of Delhi issued a circular stating that video conferencing links of Court proceedings will be offered for public viewing.</i>
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Guidelines for mentioning before the court by advocate / party-in-person with reference to listing of cases in the principal seat, madras.

High Court Madras

19.06.2020	Notification No.131/2020	<i>High Court of Madras issued guidelines concerning mentioning for listing of urgent matters. The guidelines consist of the important e-mail address of Registrar for the purpose of mentioning.</i>
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Hearing of matters during forthcoming rescheduled Summer Vacation

Supreme Court of India

19.06.2020	<i>Supreme Court issued a circular informing that during rescheduled summer vacation urgent matters will be listed between 22.06.2020 to 26.06.2020 (two Division Benches, one Court of Hon'ble Judges-in-Chamber and one Registrar Court will conduct hearings through Video Conferencing / tele conferencing mode) and 29.06.2020 to 03.07.2020 (two Benches in the whole week).</i>
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NCLT constitutes additional benches at NCLT Delhi to hear urgent applications

NCLT, Delhi

19.06.2020	<i>NCLT passed an order stating that with effect from June 22, 2020, NCLT has constituted five additional benches at NCLT New Delhi to take up urgent applications through Video Conferencing.</i>
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NCLT constitutes additional benches at NCLT Chennai to hear urgent applications



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NCLT, Chennai

19.06.2020

NCLT passed an order stating that with effect from June 22, 2020, NCLT has constituted two additional benches at NCLT Chennai to take up urgent applications through Video Conferencing.

Order extending the interim orders till July 10, 2020

High Court of Allahabad

19.06.2020 Public Interest Litigation (PIL)
No. - 564 Of 2020

High Court of Allahabad passed an order concerning further extension of interim orders till July 10, 2020.

Modification of Standard Operating Procedure allowing physical filing

High Court of Bombay

16.06.2020

High Court of Bombay issued a modification of Standard Operating Procedure allowing physical filing.

Addendum to new Standard Operating Procedure issued for High Court.

High Court of Karnataka

16.06.2020

High Court of Karnataka issued a Standard Operating Procedure informing that additional counters are opened at Principal Bench, Bengaluru for payment of Court Fee, Process Fee and Copying Fee as well as for filing applications for certified copies.

Order extending the interim orders till July 15, 2020

High Court of Bombay

15.06.2020 Writ Petition No. 2 of 2020

High Court of Bombay passed an order concerning further extension of interim orders till July 15, 2020.

Order concerning usage of copies of order and judgment available in the High Court website.

High Court of Odisha



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15.06.2020		<i>High Court of Odisha issued a notice allowing lawyers and litigants to utilize orders and judgments available in the High Court website in lieu of certified copies, till 03.07.2020.</i>

Standard Operating Procedure concerning listing and hearing of matters through video conferencing / tele conferencing.

Supreme Court of India

14.06.2020

Supreme Court of India issued a Standard Operating Procedure concerning listing and hearing of matters through video conferencing / tele conferencing before the Hon'ble Judge – in – chamber and the Registrar Court.

Circular concerning procedure for filing fresh cases.

High Court of Delhi

14.06.2020

High Court of Delhi issued a circular notifying that fresh cases will now be filed through online e-filing system of Delhi High Court.

Circular concerning setting up of video conferencing rooms in seven district complexes of Delhi.

Supreme Court of India

13.06.2020

Supreme Court of India issued a circular notifying that in compliance with the directions of the Chief Justice of India, the Supreme Court registry and in coordination with the Delhi High Court, Supreme Court Video Conferencing Facilitation Rooms have been set up in Seven District Courts Complexes of Delhi.

Notification concerning functioning of the High Court at Calcutta.

High Court at Calcutta

13.06.2020

High Court at Calcutta issued a notification concerning hearing through video conferencing and physical hearing on a very restricted scale.

Office order regarding extension of suspended functioning of Delhi High Court and its subordinate courts till 30.06.2020.

High Court of Delhi



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
13.06.2020		<i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order suspending functioning of the High Court and its subordinate courts till 30.06.2020.</i>

Office order regarding extension of suspended functioning of Telangana High Court till 28.06.2020.

High Court of Telangana

13.06.2020		<i>High Court of Telangana issued an office order suspending functioning of the High Court till 28.06.2020.</i>
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Office order regarding extension of suspended functioning of courts subordinate to Telangana High Court till 30.06.2020.

High Court of Telangana

13.06.2020		<i>High Court of Telangana issued an office order suspending functioning of its subordinate courts till 30.06.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning extension of suspended functioning of Securities Appellate Tribunal.

Securities Appellate Tribunal

12.06.2020		<i>SAT has notified that the judicial work of the Tribunal shall further remain suspended till 30.06.2020, in view of the orders issued by the Central and State Govts. extending the lockdown.</i>
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Circular concerning listing of chamber matters and registrar court matters.

Supreme Court of India

12.06.2020		<i>Supreme Court of India issued a circular notifying that chamber matters and registrar court matters will be listed from 15.06.2020 onwards.</i>
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Order concerning physical filing of fresh cases.

Punjab and Haryana High Court

12.06.2020	No. 25 / RG / Spl. / Misc.	<i>Punjab and Haryana High Court issued an order concerning ordinary filing of cases in the High Court with effect from 15.06.2020.</i>
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Order concerning resumption of filing to physical filing.



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High Court of Himachal Pradesh

12.06.2020	No. HHC / RG / C – 19 / 2020	<i>High Court of Himachal Pradesh issued an order concerning physical filing of cases with certain restrictions.</i>
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Notification concerning listing of extremely urgent matters other than bail matters.

High Court of Calcutta

10.06.2020	No. 1647 - RG	<i>The Calcutta High Court issued a notification concerning listing of extremely urgent matters other than bail matters via video conferencing.</i>
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Order concerning filing of non-urgent matters in the District Courts.

High Court of Punjab and Haryana

10.06.2020	No. 24 / RG / Spl. Misc.	<i>High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued an order stating that District and Session Judges may allow filing of non – urgent cases which do not require immediate relief.</i>
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Circular concerning listing of matters under section 451 CrPC..

High Court of Gujarat

08.06.2020		<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning listing of matters under Section 451 of the CrPC (order for custody and disposal of property pending trial in certain cases).</i>
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User Guide for Online Mentioning Platform..

High Court of Gujarat

07.06.2020,		<i>High Court of Gujarat issued a user guide for online mentioning of matters.</i>
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Notice issuing contact details of all officers nominated for redressal of complaints regarding VC related issues

High Court of Jammu and Kashmir

06.06.2020		<i>The High Court of Jammu and Kashmir issued a list of officers and their contact details who have been nominated for redressal of complaints regarding VC related issues.</i>
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Circular concerning filing of physically copies at Principal Seat Jabalpur and Bench at Gwalior.

High Court of Madhya Pradesh

06.06.2020	No. 40 / PR (J) / 2020	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a circular concerning filing of physical copies of cases filed between 01.06.2020 to 06.06.2020.</i>
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Notification regarding partial resumption of functioning of Delhi International Arbitration Centre.

High Court of Delhi

05.06.2020		<i>The Delhi High Court issued a notification concerning functioning of the Delhi International Arbitration Centre with effect from 08.06.2020.</i>
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Notice concerning filing of petitions, applications, objections, memorandum of appeal, duly signed by Advocates.

High Court of Uttarakhand

05.06.2020	Notice no. 17	<i>High Court of Uttarakhand issued a notice stating that an application, petition, objection or memorandum of appeal, presented in Court, should be signed by the advocate.</i>
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Order concerning listing of matters in the High Court of Chhattisgarh and courts subordinate to the High Court.

High Court of Chhattisgarh

05.06.2020	No.59 (Misc.) / 11 – 14 – 1 / 2020	<i>High Court of Chhattisgarh issued an order concerning listing of bail applications, urgent matters, etc.</i>
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Guidance note for conducting arbitration proceedings by video conference.

High Court of Delhi

05.06.2020		<i>The Delhi High Court issued a guidance notice for conducting arbitration proceedings via video conferencing and filing fresh arbitrations through e-mail.</i>
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Notification concerning resumption of normal functioning of the High Court at Calcutta.

High Court of Calcutta

05.06.2020	No. 1596	<i>The Calcutta High Court issued a notification concerning guidelines for resumption of normal functioning.</i>
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Notification concerning resumption of normal functioning of the District Courts w.e.f. 08.06.2020.

High Court of Calcutta

05.06.2020	No. 1597	<i>The Calcutta High Court issued a notification concerning resumption of normal functioning of the District Courts subject to the availability of transport.</i>
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Notification concerning modification in the notification for normal functioning of the High Court at Madras.

High Court of Madras

05.06.2020	R.O.C NO. 1363 / 2020 / RG /HC	<i>The Madras High Court issued a notification stating that functioning of High Court should be restricted to video conferencing only.</i>
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Notice concerning the process of physical filing of fresh cases.

DRAT, Allahabad

03.06.2020	-	<i>DRAT, Allahabad issued a notice concerning physical filling of fresh cases w.e.f. 03.06.2020</i>
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Notification concerning extension of the limitation period to 06.07.2020.

High Court of Karnataka

03.06.2020	No. HCE 181/2019	<i>High Court of Karnataka issued a notification extending the limitation period till 06.07.2020 only for the purpose of Section 4 of the Limitation Act, 1963.</i>
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Notice concerning physical filing of fresh cases.

High Court of Allahabad

03.06.2020	-	<i>High Court of Allahabad issued a notice stating that physical filing of new cases can be done from 03.06.2020.</i>
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Circular regarding extension of suspended functioning of the High Court and courts subordinate to High Court of Manipur till 30.06.2020,

High Court of Meghalaya

02.06.2020	HCM. III / 03 / 2013	<i>High Court of Meghalaya issued a circular concerning suspension of regular court sitting of the high court and district courts / tribunals till 30.06.2020.</i>
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Notification regarding extension of suspended functioning of the High Court and courts subordinate to High Court of Manipur till 17.06.2020,

High Court of Manipur

02.06.2020	Notification No. 63	<i>High Court of Manipur issued a notification issuing certain directions concerning suspension of regular court sitting of the high court and district courts / tribunals till 17.06.2020.</i>
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Notice concerning feasibility of physical appearance of the advocates in the Court

Supreme Court of India

02.06.2020	-	<i>Supreme Court issued a notice in order to explore the feasibility of physical appearance of the advocates in the court, while adhering to social distancing norms.</i>
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Circular concerning various helpline number.

Supreme Court of India

02.06.2020	-	<i>Supreme Court issued a circular containing helpline numbers for filing, mentioning, listing and video conferencing of matters.</i>
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Notice concerning helpline number to inquire about the status of their matter

High Court Gujarat

01.06.2020	-	<i>High Court Gujarat issued a notice containing contact details of an appointed person by the High Court for the advocates to inquire about the status of their matter.</i>
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Standard Operation Procedure for advocates to mention in NCLAT.

NCLAT

01.06.2020	-	<i>NCLAT issued an SOP for mentioning the matter for hearing through virtual mode.</i>
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Notice informing that parties on joint application can have their matter heard through video conferencing.

DRAT, Delhi



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01.06.2020	-	<i>DRAT issued a notice informing that if parties want to have their matter heard through VC, they can file a joint application through Registrar.</i>

Office order concerning hearing of matters where evidence on affidavit has been tendered.

DRT I and II, Ahmedabad

01.06.2020	-	<i>DRT issued an office order informing that DRT I and II has decided to hear and adjudicate ex-parte matters pending with them where applicants have tendered their evidence on affidavit.</i>
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Office Order concerning adjournment of all matters till 12.06.2020

DRT, Delhi-III

01.06.2020	-	<i>DRT, Delhi issued an office order adjourning all matters from 01.06.2020 to 12.06.2020</i>
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Office Memorandum concerning functioning of subordinate courts from 01.06.2020

High Court of Madras

30.05.2020	R.O.C No. 1363 / 2020 / RG / Sub.Courts	<i>High Court of Madras issued an office memorandum stating that on suggestion the High Court has allowed only staggered opening of the subordinate courts in the State of Tamil Nadu and UT of Puducherry.</i>
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Office Memorandum concerning functioning of High Court from 01.06.2020

High Court of Madras

30.05.2020	R.O.C No. 1363 / 2020 / RG / HC	<i>High Court of Madras issued an office memorandum stating that on suggestion the High Court (Principal Seat at Madras and Madurai Bench) will operate only staggered opening of the High Court.</i>
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Standard Operating Procedure for participating in the court proceedings through video conferencing

High Court of Rajasthan

30.05.2020	-	<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued an SOP for advocates / parties-in-person.</i>
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Circular concerning further guidelines for e- filing



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High Court of Gujarat

30.05.2020

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High Court Gujarat issued further guidelines on e – filing and also enlisted a chart containing e-mail addresses for filing.

Office Order regarding extension of suspended functioning of Rajasthan High Court till 14.06.2020

High Court of Rajasthan

30.05.2020

PA / RG / Misc. / 2020

High Court of Rajasthan issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the High Court till 14.06.2020

Office Order regarding extension of suspended functioning of courts subordinate to Rajasthan High Court till 14.06.2020

High Court of Rajasthan

30.05.2020

No. 19 / PI / 2020

High Court of Rajasthan issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the subordinate courts till 14.06.2020.

Circular regarding extension of suspended functioning of High Court and courts subordinate to High Court of Madhya Pradesh till 07.06.2020

High Court Madhya Pradesh

30.05.2020

No. B / 1880

High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued a circular extending the suspended functioning of the High Court and its subordinate courts till 07.06.2020.

Notice containing the schedule of High Court during summer vacations i.e., 01.06.2020 to 12.06.2020.

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

31.05.2020

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High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification containing the category of matters that will be taken up during summer vacation i.e., 01.06.2020 to 12.06.2020

Circular concerning circulation of document or documents

Supreme Court of India

29.05.2020

F. NO. 7/Judl./2020

Supreme Court issued a circular notifying that as per the practice going on earlier, the Registry will circulate only those document/documents which are



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Office Order regarding extension of suspended functioning of Delhi High Court till 14.06.2020

High Court of Delhi

29.05.2020	-	High Court of Delhi issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the High Court till 14.06.2020.
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Office Order regarding extension of suspended functioning of courts subordinate to Delhi High Court till 14.06.2020,

High Court of Delhi

29.05.2020	-	High Court of Delhi issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the subordinate courts till 14.06.2020.
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Office Order regarding extension of suspended functioning of courts subordinate to Tripura High Court till 21.06.2020,

High Court of Tripura

29.05.2020	-	High Court of Tripura issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the subordinate courts till 21.06.2020
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Order concerning extension of the limitation period for a period of month from 29.05.2020

High Court of Andhra Pradesh

29.05.2020	Writ Petition No. 8130 of 2020	High Court of Andhra Pradesh passed an order extending the limitation period for one month.
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Notification regarding extension of suspended functioning of High Court and courts subordinate to High Courts till 08.06.2020

High Court of Calcutta

28.05.2020	-	High Court of Calcutta issued a notification extending the suspended functioning of the High Court and its Circuit Benches at Andaman & Nicobar Islands and Jalpaiguri, the Courts subordinate to the High Court including Commercial Courts and West Bengal Judicial Academy till 08.06.2020.
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Circular concerning guideline on filing of urgent matters and identifying urgent matters.

High Court of Jammu and Kashmir

28.05.2020	No. 19	<i>High Court of Jammu and Kashmir issued a circular on inter alia filing of urgent matters.</i>
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Notification concerning working days in June

High Court of Uttarakhand

27.05.2020	No. 101 / UHC / Stationery / 2020	<i>High Court of Uttarakhand issued a notification declaring June 1, 2020 to June 5, 2020 as working days in the High Court.</i>
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Circular concerning implementation of e-filing software for e-filing of cases in the subordinate courts in the State of Andhra Pradesh during lockdown

Issuing Court: High court of Andhra Pradesh at Amravati

25.05.2020	ROC No. 420-epc	<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a circular stating that software for e-filing used in the high court will now be used in the subordinate courts as well from 26.05.2020.</i>
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Circular concerning contacting Court Masters only for the purpose of joining video conferencing

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

25.05.2020	No. R-340 / RG / DHC / 2020	<i>High Court of Delhi issued a circular stating that assistance by the Court Masters should only be taken for the purposes of joining the hearings through video conferencing.</i>
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Notification concerning cancellation of summer vacation

High Court of Punjab and Haryana

23.05.2020	No. 616 – Spl – Genl. / XVII 3 (6 – G)	<i>High Court of Punjab and Haryana notified cancellation of the summer vacations starting from 01.06.2020 to 26.06.2020 for both high court and the subordinate courts.</i>
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Office order regarding suspension of functioning of courts subordinate to Delhi High Court till 31.05.2020

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
21.05.2020	No. R-305 / RG / DHC / 2020	<i>High Court of Delhi issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the subordinate court till 31.05.2020.</i>

Circular concerning exemptions of black coat / gown till further orders as a precautionary measure to contain the spread of Covid-19

Issuing Court: High Court of Telangana

20.05.2020	ROC.NO.394/SO/2020	<i>The High Court of Telangana issued a circular exempting advocates from wearing black coat or gown in the State of Telangana till further orders, as a precautionary measure to contain the spread of COVID-19 and they may wear the dress as prescribed under the Bar Council of India Rules with plain white band, ensuring proper decorum before the Virtual Courts.</i>
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Notice concerning preventive measures to contain the spread of Covid 19

Issuing Court: National Company Law Appellate Tribunal

19.05.2020	-	<i>NCLAT issued a notice suspending regular court work till further orders</i>
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Office order regarding suspension of functioning of high court and subordinate courts

Issuing Court: High Court of Manipur

19.05.2020	No. 62	<i>High Court of Manipur issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the high court and the subordinate court till 02.06.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning cancellation of summer vacations

Issuing Court: High Court of Rajasthan

18.05.2020	No. 06 / EV / 2020	<i>High Court of Rajasthan issued a notification cancelling the summer vacations from 01.06.2020 to 14.06.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning Postponement of Summer Vacation 2020 and relaxation in dress code For advocates

Issuing Court: High Court of Jharkhand

18.05.2020		<i>High Court of Jharkhand issued a notification concerning (i) postponing the summer vacation; and (ii) permitting advocates to wear "plain white - shirt / white - salwar - kameez / white saree, with a plain – white neck band" during virtual hearings.</i>
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Order issued concerning mentioning

Issuing Court: High Court of Punjab and Haryana

17.05.2020	No. 22 / RG / Spl. / Misc.	<i>High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued an order concerning mentioning, hearing and filing of cases.</i>
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Notice concerning rescheduling of summer vacations of the High Court

Issuing Court: High Court of Andhra Pradesh

17.05.2020	ROC. No. 600 / SO / 2019	<i>Notice concerning rescheduled Summer Vacation for the High Court of Andhra Pradesh and Offices working under the administrative control of the High Court [A.P. State Legal Services Authority, Mediation and Arbitration Centre, and High Court Legal Services Committee] for the year 2020.</i>
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Notice concerning rescheduling of summer vacations of Court subordinate to the High Court

Issuing Court: High Court of Andhra Pradesh

17.05.2020	ROC. No. 192 / SO / 2019	<i>Notice concerning rescheduled Summer Vacation, 2020 - Rescheduled Summer Vacation for the Subordinate Courts in the State of Andhra Pradesh, including Tribunals and Labour Courts under the Control of the High Court of Andhra Pradesh for the year 2020.</i>
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Notice concerning Standard Operating Procedure for Ld. Advocate/Party-in-person fore-Filing, Mentioning, Listing and Video Conferencing Hearing

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

16.05.2020		<i>The Supreme Court issued a circular reiterating and further elaborating Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for e-filing, mentioning, listing and hearing of matters through video conferencing/tele-conferencing.</i>
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Notice regarding change in dress for advocates

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

16.05.2020	F. No. 07/Judl./2020	<i>The notice exempting Advocates from wearing heavy upper body clothing like coat, chapkan, achkan, sherwani, gown and jacket (and such other heavy items which are not washable daily/frequently) and they may wear the dress as prescribed under the Bar Council of India Rules with plain white band, ensuring proper decorum before the Virtual Courts.</i>
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Office order regarding new display board system

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

16.05.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order that a new Display Board can be accessed by the Advocates and litigants in person from the same tab as already available on the website of Delhi High Court.

Office order regarding suspension of functioning of Delhi High court till 23.05.2020

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

16.05.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order suspending functioning of the High Court.

Office order regarding suspended functioning of subordinate courts

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

16.05.2020

High Court of Delhi issued an office order extending the suspended functioning of the subordinate courts. Also, directed the subordinate courts to take up urgent matters relating to bail, stay/injunction as per the directions already issued.

Circular concerning displaying full name while joining VC hearing session

Issuing Court: High Court of Gujarat

15.05.2020

High Court of Gujarat issued a circular directing the advocates to display full names while joining the VC hearing session before the Hon'ble Judges.

Order concerning Interim orders by Delhi High Court, subordinate courts extended till June 15

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

15.05.2020

W.P.(C) 3037/2020

High Court of Delhi passed an order directing that all interim orders passed by the Delhi High Court and its subordinate courts, which were subsisting as on May 15 and are likely to expire or have already expired, stand automatically extended till June 15, 2020, or until further orders.

Notification regarding dress code of advocates during VC hearing session.

Issuing Court: High Court of Andhra Pradesh



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
15.05.2020	ROC No. 192 / SO / 2020	<i>High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued a notification to the advocates informing them that they shall wear “plain white - shirt / white - salwar - kameez / white saree, with a plain – white neck band” during the hearings before the High Court or any District Court through video conference till medical exigencies exist or until further orders.</i>

Notification concerning e – filing of urgent matters

Issuing Court: High Court of Madhya Pradesh

14.05.2020

High Court of Madhya Pradesh issued an addendum stating that from 18.05.2020, only the urgent matters will be entertained through e – filing.

Notification regarding dress code of advocates during VC hearing session.

Issuing Court: High Court of Calcutta

14.05.2020

No. 1550 – RG

High Court of Calcutta issued a notification to the advocates informing them that they shall wear “plain white - shirt / white - salwar - kameez / white saree, with a plain – white neck band” during the hearings before the High Court or any District Court through video conference till medical exigencies exist or until further orders.

Circular concerning uniform for Advocates

Issuing Court: Supreme Court Of India

13.05.2020

F. No.06 / Judl ./ 2020

Supreme Court issued a circular informing that advocates may wear “plain white-shirt/white-salwar-kameez/ white saree, with a plain-white neck band” during the hearings before the Supreme Court of India through Virtual Court System till medical exigencies exist or until further orders.

Circular concerning use of A4 size paper for filing

Issuing Court: Supreme Court Of India

13.05.2020

Supreme Court issued a circular that the Bar/parties-in-person may use A4 size paper for filing in the wake of lockdown related to Covid-19.

Notice concerning cancellation of annual vacation in June

Issuing Court: National Company Law Appellate Tribunal



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13.05.2020		<i>NCLAT issued a notice informing that to make good the shortfall in working days occasioned due to imposition of Lockdown on account of outbreak of COVID-19 declared as Pandemic, the Annual Vacation commencing w.e.f. 1st June, 2020 till 30th June, 2020 notified earlier in the Calendar 2020, shall stand cancelled and the Court shall function during the month of June 2020.</i>

NCLT issued an order concerning filing of default record under section 7 of IBC

Issuing Court: National Company Law Tribunal

12.05.2020

NCLT has issued an order directing concerned people to file default record from Information Utility along with new petitions filed under Section 7 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 (Code). No new petition shall be entertained without default of record. Further, NCLT has directed authorized representatives / parties in cases pending for admission under aforesaid section of Code to file the default record before the next hearing.

Category of matters to be heard from 13.05.2020

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

11.05.2020

The Supreme Court of India issued a notice enlisting categories of matters which may be heard and disposed of finally by a judge sitting singly nominated by the Chief Justice.

Orders concerning mentioning

Issuing Court: Punjab and Haryana High Court

11.05.2020 Order No. 19 / RG / Spl. / Misc

The High Court of Punjab and Haryana issued an order concerning guidelines to the advocates for serving an advance copy and e – filing.

Notice concerning permission to file physical filing on experimental basis

Issuing Court: High Court of Karnataka (Principal Bench at Bengaluru)

11.05.2020

The Karnataka High Court has issued a notification concerning physical filing of new cases on an experimental basis on May 13, 14 and 15 from 11:00 am onwards, amid the on-going COVID-19 lockdown.

Office Order concerning new link for filing non – urgent matters

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
08.05.2020	No.R-195/RG/DHC/2020	<i>The High Court of Delhi notified a new link that has been created for filing non – urgent matters i.e., ordinary filing, in the Court both in fresh as well as pending matters.</i>

Standard operating procedure for Advocates/party in person for hearing of Court proceeding through Video Conferencing.

Issuing Court: Punjab and Haryana High Court

08.05.2020		<i>The High Court issued an order / guideline concerning instruction for joining video conferencing.</i>
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Notice concerning summer vacation for the High Court of Andhra Pradesh

Issuing Court: High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amaravati

08.05.2020	ROC No. 600 / SO / 2019	<i>The High Court of Andhra Pradesh notified summer vacation for the High Court of Andhra Pradesh and Offices working under the administrative control of the High Court (AP State Legal Services Authority, Mediation and Arbitration Centre and High Court Legal Services Committee) for the year 2020.</i>
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Notice concerning summer vacation for the subordinate courts in the State of Andhra Pradesh

Issuing Court: High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amaravati

08.05.2020	ROC No. 600 / SO / 2019	<i>The High Court of Andhra Pradesh notified summer vacation for the subordinate Courts in the State of Andhra Pradesh including Tribunals and Labour Courts under the control of High Court of Andhra Pradesh for the year 2020</i>
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Notice concerning suspension of regular court work at High Court

Issuing Court: High Court of Telangana

07.05.2020	ROC No. 394 / SO / 2020	<i>The High Court of Telangana in view of the lockdown notified suspension of work in High Court till 29.05.2020.</i>
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Notice concerning suspension of regular court work at subordinate courts

Issuing Court: High Court of Telangana

07.05.2020	ROC No. 394 / SO / 2020	<i>The High Court of Telangana in view of the lockdown notified suspension of work in subordinate courts till 29.05.2020.</i>
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Order concerning extension of limitation period

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

06.05.2020	Suo Moto Writ (Civil) No. 3 Of 2020	<i>The Supreme Court passed an order stating that in case the limitation period has expired after 15.03.2020 then the period from 15.03.2020 till the date on which the lockdown is lifted in the jurisdictional area where the disputes lies or where the cause of action arises - shall be extended for a period of 15 days after the lifting of lockdown.</i>
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Notice concerning listing of urgent matters through video conferencing

Issuing Court: Debt Recovery Tribunal-1, Kolkata

06.05.2020	No,01/22/2018/DRT-1/ Kol/e-drt	<i>DRT issued a set of guidelines for facilitating listing of urgent cases and hearing through video conferencing.</i>
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Notification concerning suspension of summer vacation

Issuing Court: High Court of Madhya Pradesh

06.05.2020	No. A/925	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh informed that the entire period of summer vacations shall be working for the high court as well as for the subordinate courts of Madhya Pradesh.</i>
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Directions concerning filing in the registry

Issuing Court: High Court of Punjab and Haryana:

05.05.2020	No. 16 / RG / Spl. / Misc	<i>The High Court of Punjab and Haryana directed the advocates and the litigants that the Registry will accept the e-filing and original paper - book of the case, as the case may be, from 10:00 AM to 04:00 PM on the court working days.</i>
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Circular concerning inter alia Working hours of the court and extension of limitation period

Issuing Court: High Court of Madhya Pradesh

05.05.2020	A / 911	<i>High Court of Madhya Pradesh notified various precautionary measures to avoid spread of Novel Coronavirus infection and to avoid mass gathering in districts/tehsils court premises of the state of Madhya Pradesh. The circular further notified inter alia extension of limitation period and working hours.</i>
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Circular concerning guidelines for courts in Maharashtra, Goa and UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli & Daman and Diu



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Issuing Court: High Court of Bombay

04.05.2020

The High Court of Bombay issues directions stating the Court shall continue to take up remand work and extremely urgent matters, until further orders. It has also laid down certain precautions to be taken during the course of transaction of business in Courts.

Order concerning special bench pertaining to section 252 of the companies act, 2013

Issuing Court: National Company Law Tribunal

04.05.2020

NCLT issued an order informing that a Special Bench has been formed to attend to the matters related to Section 252 (Appeal from an order of the Registrar, notifying a company as dissolved under section 248 of the Companies Act, 2013 pending before Mumbai Bench. The matters shall be attended through video conference till the lockdown ends.

Notice concerning urgent listing and available benches

Issuing Court: National Company Law Tribunal

03.05.2020

NCLT issued a notice concerning urgent matters to be taken up via video conferencing. The notice also contains the benches available till the lockdown i.e., 17.05.2020.

Notice concerning suspension of regular courts

Issuing Court: National Company Law Appellate Tribunal

03.05.2020

National Company Law Appellate Tribunal issued a circular directing the regular Court work in the NCLAT to remain suspended till further orders. However, the urgent cases/matters will be taken up as per directions issued earlier.

Notification concerning video conferencing of urgent matters

Issuing Court: High Court of Uttarakhand

03.05.2020

No. 32/UHC/Admin.B/2020

High Court of Uttarakhand issued a notification concerning video conferencing for the category of cases such as PIL, bail application, Writ Petition (Criminal), Writ Petition (Habeas Corpus), Writ Petition seeking relief against eviction, ejection, dispossession from property or its demolition.

Letter concerning closure of all subordinate courts



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Issuing Court: High Court of Allahabad

02.05.2020	No. PS (RG) / 52 / 2020	<i>The High Court of Allahabad issued a letter informing subordinate courts, commercial courts, motor accident claims tribunals and land acquisition rehabilitation and resettlement authorities to remain closed.</i>
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Circular concerning functioning of NGT Western Zone Bench, Pune

Issuing Court: National Green Tribunal

02.05.2020	No.:- NGT(PB)/3/JUDICIAL/2014/9(LD)	<i>The National Green Tribunal with respect to the Western Zonal Bench, Pune issued a circular stating that the sitting of Western Zonal Bench, Pune from NGT Pune premises shall tentatively be effective from 01.07.2020. Till then, the said Bench shall continue to function through Video Conferencing from the Principal Bench, Delhi.</i>
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Notice concerning Extension of Suspended Functioning of Delhi High Court

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

02.05.2020	No. R-125/RG/DHC/2020	<i>The Delhi High Court notified cancellation of functioning of the regular court till 17.05.2020.</i>
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Circular concerning listing of matters concerning extreme urgency

Issuing Court: High Court of Gujarat

01.05.2020	----	<i>The High Court of Gujarat issued a circular informing the advocates / litigants that only matters of extreme urgency will be listed.</i>
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Notification concerning functioning of the court

Issuing Court: High Court of Madras

01.05.2020	----	<i>High Court of Madras in view of the lockdown notified that the level and volume of functioning is hereby enhanced in a limited staggered manner for the time being till 31.05. 2020, which will continue till the lockdown is lifted or relaxed, only through video-conferencing as was being conducted till now or a decision is taken otherwise for resumption of normal functioning..</i>
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Order concerning cancellation of summer vacation

Issuing Court: High Court of Gujarat



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30.04.2020	No.C.2101 / 2020	<i>Gujarat High Court issued a notice cancelling the summer vacation beginning from 11.05.2020 to 07.06.2020.</i>

Instructions regarding functioning of National Green Tribunal w.e.f. 04.05.2020 amid Covid – 19 Regulations

Issuing Court: National Green Tribunal

28.04.2020	NGT / PB / 87 / Admin / 2014 / 590 (AD)	<i>The NGT has ordered that with effect from 04.05.2020, Hon'ble the Chairperson and Hon'ble Members of the National Green Tribunal, as well all the officers of the National Green Tribunal (Deputy Registrars and above) will attend the Office with 100% attendance, while the remaining staff upto 33% strength shall physically attend the Office as separately notified from time to time.</i>
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Office Order for listing of certain matters with the consent of both the sides

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

26.04.2020	No.121/RG/DHC/2020	<i>The High Court of Delhi issued an office order for listing of certain matters with the consent of parties, such as matters related to the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, Matrimonial matters, eviction matters based on bona fide requirement, etc.</i>
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Order concerning suspension of courts until 15.05.2020

Issuing Court: High Court of Calcutta

24.04.2020	No. 1534 -RG	<i>Calcutta High Court notified that the subordinate courts and other courts will continue to be suspended till 15.05.2020.</i>
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Notification concerning listing of urgent matters

Issuing Court: High Court of Calcutta

24.04.2020	No. 1535 -RG	<i>Calcutta High Court notified that only urgent matters will be heard that are received through email from the Advocate-on-Record / Party-in-person latest by 5:00 pm, three days preceding the day of sitting of the Hon'ble Benches, subject to any leave to be granted by the Hon'ble Bench to the contrary (e.g. the petitions/applications, received till 5:00 pm of 27.4.2020 will be placed before the Hon'ble Bench, scheduled for 30.4.2020).</i>
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Office Order prescribing new procedure for e-filing

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi



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22.04.2020	No. R- 117/RG/DHC/2020	<i>The High Court of Delhi issued an office order prescribing inter alia new procedure for mentioning, restricting mentioning done on the phone, etc.</i>

Office Order regarding IT Helpline Number

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

22.04.2020	No.119/RG/DHC/2020	<i>The High Court of Delhi issued an in view of the directions passed by the Supreme Court in the case of Suo Motu Writ (Civil) No.5/2020 dated 6th April 2020 titled "Re: Guidelines for Court Functioning Through Video Conferencing During Covid-19 Pandemic", the High Court has started a Helpline Number "14611" to receive any complaint with regard to deficiency in visual acuity or audibility experienced by participants during the video conferencing proceedings .</i>
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Order concerning extension of interim orders

Issuing Court: Allahabad High Court

22.04.2020	Public Interest Litigation (PIL) No. - 564 Of 2020	<i>The Allahabad High Court in a suo moto action extended the period of interim orders to 10.05.2020 and if bail has been granted in anticipation as an interim measure for a specific period and if that period is going to expire on or before 03.05.2020, the same shall stand extended upto15.05.2020.</i>
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Special Bench appointed by the High Court of Bombay for the matters related to Compromises, Arrangements & Amalgamations (section 230 to 240 of Companies Act, 2013)

Issuing Court: National Company Law Tribunal

21.04.2020	----	<i>A Special Bench has been formed to attend to the matters related to Compromises, Arrangements & Amalgamations (section 230 to 240 of Companies Act, 2013) pending before Mumbai Bench. The Bench comprises of a judicial member (Shri Rajasekhar V. K) and a technical member (V. Nallasenapathy). The matters shall be attended through Video Conference (VC) till the lockdown ends.</i>
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Circular concerning cancelling the summer vacation

Issuing Court: High Court of Bombay

21.04.2020	----	<i>Hon'ble High Court of Bombay and subordinate Courts shall not avail Summer Vacation, after 3rd May, 2020 and before 7th June, 2020, and the normal Court working will be restored by lifting the lock-down</i>
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Notice concerning video conferencing

Issuing Court: National Company Law Tribunal:

21.04.2020	----	<p><i>NCLT has notified that all Parties and their authorized representatives are requested to file the urgent applications through e-filing portal at New Delhi, Mumbai, Hyderabad. Amaravati and Jaipur benches. At other benches, the urgent applications may be filed through regular email of respective Registrar of the Bench.</i></p> <p><i>NCLT has also observed that applications received from the parties during this period are having a number of defects and such applications shall not be entertained. NCLT has requested the parties to file a brief application with no defects as far as possible.</i></p>
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Notice concerning functioning via Video Conferencing

Issuing Court: Telangana High Court

19.04.2020	----	<p><i>Telangana High Court informed that for pending admission matters, those who are do not have video conferencing facility or are not comfortable in addressing the court through video conferencing are exempted and their cases will be adjourned automatically.</i></p>
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Video Conferencing Guidelines for the conduct of Court Proceedings between Courts and Remote Sites and the VC facilities set up at other places in the States of Punjab, Haryana and U.T. Chandigarh.

Issuing Court: High Court of Punjab and Haryana

19.04.2020	----	<p><i>The Punjab and Haryana High Court informed the guidelines for conducting court proceedings. The video conference facility provided in courts with capacity to receive evidence and submissions from witnesses or person involved in court proceedings in circumstances where it would be expensive, inconvenient or not desirable for person to attend the court in person.</i></p>
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Notice concerning listing of Short category matters, Death penalty matters, and matters related to family law

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

18.04.2020	----	<p><i>Supreme Court issued a notice concerning that a certain category of matters, death penalty matters, and matters related to family law, which are ready may be listed for hearing through video conferencing mode subject to availability of concerned bench and prior approval of CJI.</i></p>
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Summer Vacation 2020 cancelled until further orders for Madras High Court, subordinate courts in Tamil Nadu, Puducherry

Issuing Court: High Court of Madras

18.04.2020	R.O.C. NO. 23991- C / 2020/ C3	<i>Madras High Court issued a notification informing that due to extraordinary situation that has emerged due to spread of corona virus pandemic and in view of limited nature of functioning of High Court due to lockdown, the summer vacations of high court of Madras and Madurai bench of Madras high court stand postponed sine die subject to any decision being taken in future.</i>
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Circular concerning listing of matters

Issuing Court: Gujarat High Court

18.04.2020	---	<i>The circular issued by Gujarat High Court, It was informed that that only fresh matters of extremely urgent nature would be entertained with immediate effect.</i>
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Notifications issued in connection with the Practice and Procedure for E-filing

Issuing Court: High Court at Calcutta

17.04.2020	No. 1523 – R	<i>The notification issued by High Court of Calcutta issued guidelines for e-filing and smooth functioning of the court through video conferencing. Few of the guidelines include – 1) advocates shall appear in robes, 2) party/advocate on record, filing application/petition/ affidavit shall provide email address and mobile number for communication , 3) application should have annexures of 15 pages, beyond 15, should be comprised within a separate file 4) documents including Memorandum of evidence submitted by any non-applicant till 12 noon on preceding day shall only be entertained. 5) advocate on record/ party in person shall download and install “Microsoft team” 6) video call shall be joined as a Guest 7) if there is delay in joining the proceedings, he/she shall wait for his turn till the list is exhausted 8) matter listed on particular day before particular bench may be distributed for same day amongst other existing benches constituted by Chief Justice 9) mails to be sent only on chcfiling@gmail.com 10) all documents need to be dated.</i>
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Special Procedure for hearing urgent matters through video conferencing by using “Video” software

Issuing Court: Bombay High Court

17.04.2020	---	<i>The Bombay High Court issued a notification that it has decided to use “Vidyo” software for hearing of urgent matters through video conferencing</i>
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Notice concerning that SAT will further remain closed from April 15, 2020 to May 1, 2020

Issuing Court: Securities Appellate Tribunal

16.04.2020	----	The Securities Appellate Tribunal through its order informed that the tribunal shall be closed from April 15, 2020 to May 01, 2020. Further all interim orders which are operating will remain in force till next date of hearing. The tribunal shall function from May 04, 2020 until further orders. It also stated that the office of registry shall function from May 04, 2020 until further orders.
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Standard Operating Procedure for Ld. Advocate/Party-in-person for Mentioning, e-Filing and Video Conferencing Hearing

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

15.04.2020	----	The Supreme Court of India issued a notice, directing the constitution of Hon'ble bench to hear only matters involving extreme urgency, decided by presiding judge of such bench on basis of prayer made by advocate on record/party in person by way of signed and verified mentioning application containing synopsis of extreme urgency.
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Notice concerning extension of non-functioning of courts till 03.05.2020

Issuing Court: National Company Law Appellate Tribunal

15.04.2020	F.No.10/37/ 2018-NCLAT	The NCLAT vide its notice informed that the NCLAT shall remain suspended till May 03, 2020. However, urgent cases/matter may be taken up as per directions issued.
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Office order regarding suspension of function of the High Court till May 3, 2020

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

15.04.2020	No.R-43/RG/ DHC/2020	The High Court of Delhi vide its order directed that the functioning of the High Court of Delhi shall continue to remain suspended till 03.05.2020. The arrangement qua mentioning and hearing urgent matters by this court through video conferencing shall continue as before.
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Office order regarding suspension of functioning of the subordinate Delhi High Court till 03.05.2020

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

15.04.2020	No.R-77/RG/ DHC/2020	The High Court of Delhi vide its order that the functioning of the court shall remain suspended. It further ordered that the matters listed in the subordinate
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		<i>court shall also be adjourned en bloc and information in this regard be uploaded on district court websites</i>

Special procedure for hearing exclusively through video conferencing -

Issuing Court: Bombay High Court

15.04.2020	----	<i>The Bombay High Court issued a notice informing advocates and parties appearing in person that the Hon'ble the chief justice has nominated benches to hear urgent judicial matters pertaining to division bench and single bench through video conferencing. They further also mentioned the special procedure for hearing exclusively through video conference/ before the virtual court</i>
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Circular regarding adjournment of cases of NGT Benches in view of lockdown phase till 01.05.2020

Issuing Court: National Green Tribunal

14.04.2020	NGT(PB)/3/ JUDICIAL/2014/6(LD)	<i>The National Green Tribunal issued a circular to intimate that all the matters scheduled to be listed from April 15, 2020 to May 03, 2020 of National Green Tribunal and all zonal benches shall be adjourned (on the dates mentioned).</i>
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Notice concerning extension of non-functioning of courts till 03.05.2020

Issuing Court: National Company Law Tribunal

14.04.2020	----	<i>The National Company Law Tribunal issued a notice informing In view of the extension of lockdown announced by the Government of India until 03.05.2020, non – functioning of National Company Law Tribunal was extended upto 03.05.2020.</i>
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Office order regarding non-functioning of the registry of NCDRC till 03.05.2020

Issuing Court: National Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission

14.04.2020	No. A-2 / Listing / NCDRC / 2020	<i>The National Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission issued a notice providing a list of matters listed before the NCDRC that stood adjourned due to the non – functioning of courts till 03.05.2020.</i>
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Functioning of Delhi High Court and courts subordinate thereto during the entire month of June 2020

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

13.04.2020	No.R-6 /RG/ DHC/2020	<i>The Delhi High Court in an office order informed that the Chief Justice and all the Judges of High Court have unanimously resolved vide full court that the High</i>
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Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
		<i>Court and courts subordinate shall continue functioning during the entire month of June.</i>

Order concerning extension of work from home office High Court officials

Issuing Court: High Court of Punjab and High Court

13.04.2020	No. 6 / Spl. / RG / Misc.	<i>The Punjab & Haryana High Court vide an order informed that during the period of April 15, 2020 to May 01, 2020 , all officers / officials of the High Court shall work from home and will make themselves available as and when their services are so required by the branch in charge. They will not leave the station and will report for duty without any lapse immediately on call.</i>
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Notification concerning e-filing and video conferencing with modifications to the notification dated 28.03.2020.

Issuing Court: High Court of Calcutta

09.04.2020	No.1513-RG	<i>The Calcutta High Court issued a notification that in the event of matters involving extreme urgency, the advocate on record/party in person is to file the legibly scanned copy of the petition/application and documents along with Form A or Form B, whichever is necessary, through email, together with other applications</i>
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NCLT urges litigants to file Joint Memo of Written Submissions to expedite justice

Issuing Court: National Company Law Tribunal

08.04.2020	----	<i>The NCLT vide a notice informed that NCLT has been providing urgent hearing through video conferencing and appealed to corporate with NCLT by filing joint memo of written submissions</i>
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Helpline has been set up to answer the queries of the Advocates-on-Record

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

08.04.2020	----	<i>The Supreme Court of India vide a circular gave details of the helpline to answer the queries of advocates on record appearing for the parties/party in person with regard to mentioning and listing of extreme urgent matters.</i>
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Order regarding extension of 12-month time period for disposal of arbitration proceedings

Issuing Court: High Court of Allahabad



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
06.04.2020	Public Interest Litigation (PIL) No. 564 of 2020 (suo moto action)	<i>A Public Interest Litigation filed before the High Court of Allahabad seeking extension of period under Section 29A of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 , in light of the extraordinary circumstances. Whereby the High Court ordered extension of limitation time period.</i>

Guidelines for court functioning through video conferencing during Covid-19 pandemic

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India

06.04.2020	Suo Motu Writ (Civil) No.5/2020	<i>The Supreme court vide its order directed that 1) reduce the need for physical presence of all stakeholders within the court premises and to secure functioning of courts in consonance with social distancing guidelines 2) the supreme court and all high courts are authorised to adopt measures required to ensure robust functioning of judicial system through use of video call 3) every high court is authorised determine the modalities which are suitable to temporary transition to the use of video conferencing technologies.4) concerned court shall maintain a helpline to ensure that any complaints in regard to quality or audibility shall be communicated. 5) district courts shall adopt the mode of video conferencing 6) court shall duly notify and make available facilities for video conferencing for such litigants who do not have means to video conferencing facilities 7) video conferencing shall be mainly employed for hearing arguments 8) presiding officer shall have the power to restrict entry of persons into court room or points from which arguments are addressed by advocates.</i>
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Notice concerning mentioning of urgent matters and virtual courtrooms

Issuing Court: Patna High Court

04.04.2020	----	<i>The Patna High Court issued a notification that the matters which have been found to be urgent, for them there shall be creation of virtual courtroom and link with PIN will be sent to enable consideration of the matter by Video Conferencing via "Vidyo" App, Skype or any other app.</i>
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Order concerning extension of order mentioned in the circular dated 30.03.2020

Issuing Court: High Court of Punjab and High Court

04.04.2020	Order No. 4 / Spl / RG / Misc.	<i>The Punjab and Haryana High Court vide order informed that there will a holiday for Baisakhi.</i>
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Directions issued by the Government of Rajasthan

Issuing Court: High Court of Rajasthan



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
04.04.2020	Order No. Accts / Estt / HC / Misc / Corona / 665	<i>The High Court of Rajasthan issued directions and general permission was accorded to judicial officers and court staff to travel from home to court and no pass was required and the official ID will suffice.</i>

Order containing miscellaneous directions (including for extension of interim orders)

Issuing Court: High Court of Andhra Pradesh

26.03.2020	Writ Petition No.8129 of 2020	<i>The High Court of Andhra Pradesh issued directions concerning extension of interim orders, bail / suspension granted either anticipatory or regular for a limited period, likely to expire within one month, shall automatically extend for one month from the date of the order. The order published the e-mail address for e-filing. The order further directed the State Government to ensure public safety.</i>
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Circular informing that hearing of urgent matter will be taken through video conferencing by Honorable Judges from their residences.

Issuing Court: High Court of Gujarat

25.03.2020	----	<i>The High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning e-filing and video conferencing.</i>
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Order concerning extension of interim orders

Issuing Court: High Court of Delhi

25.03.2020	Writ Petition Urgent No. 2/2020	<i>The High Court of Delhi in view of the outbreak of Covid – 19 has restricted only to hearings of urgent matters. The High Court taking suo moto cognizance of the difficult extended the interim orders.</i>
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Press note for successful implementation of video conferencing

Issuing Court: High Court of Gujarat

24.03.2020	----	<i>The High Court of Gujarat issued a press note concerning successful implementation of video conferencing based on hearing and e – filing of matters.</i>
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Circular containing Standard Operating Procedure for Conducting Hearing of cases through Video Conferencing.

Issuing Court: High Court of Sikkim

24.03.2020	Ref / 137 / HC / Comp	<i>The High Court of Sikkim issued a circular concerning hearing of cases through video conferencing.</i>
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Orders concerning for extension of interim orders.

Issuing Court: High Court of Calcutta

24.03.2020	----	<i>The High Court of Calcutta taking suo moto actions by exercising authority under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution extended all interim orders till 30.04.2020.</i>
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Circular for extension of period of limitation.

Issuing Court: High Court of Sikkim

24.03.2020	No.32/Confdl/HCS	<i>The High Court of Sikkim issued a circular following the order passed by the Supreme Court concerning extension of limitation.</i>
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Notification concerning sitting of NGT Benches as a preventive measure.

Issuing Court: National Green Tribunal

23.03.2020	NGT / PB / 3 / Judicial / 2014 / 585 (A1)	<i>The National Green Tribunal, Principal Bench issued a circular informing that all the National Green Tribunal Benches will be restricted only to urgent matters.</i>
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Circular concerning miscellaneous directions including listing of urgent matter and video conferencing

Issuing Court: Jammu and Kashmir High Court

23.03.2020	Circular No. 14 / GS	<i>The High Court of Jammu and Kashmir issued a circular informing suspension of public transport and certain restrictions imposed by the Government. The circular also passed miscellaneous directions including listing of urgent matter and video conferencing.</i>
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Circular with further direction for Subordinate Courts and extension of limitation period.

Issuing Court: High Court of Gujarat

23.03.2020	----	<i>The High Court of Gujarat issued a circular to the Principal District Judges / Principal District Officers to decide the strength of officers, considering the load of urgent work on a particular day. The High Court further informed the orders passed by the Supreme Court concerning extension of limitation period.</i>
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Order regarding extension of limitation period

Issuing Court: Supreme Court of India



Notification / Circular / Order Date	Notification/Circular/Order No.	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular/Order and Description
23.03.2020	----	<i>The Supreme Court passed an order extending the limitation period for the time period in which litigants across the country are facing difficulty in filing their petitions / applications / suits / appeals / all other proceedings within the period of limitation prescribed under the general law of limitation or under Special Laws (both Central and/or State).</i>

Guidelines for online filing, video conferencing and filing of only urgent matters

Issuing Court: High Court of Karnataka

20.03.2020	----	<i>The High Court of Karnataka issued a memorandum to all courts and tribunals in Bengaluru City except High Court. The memorandum is essentially concerning guidelines for online filing, video conferencing and filing of only urgent matters</i>
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Circular for listing of only urgent matter

Issuing Court: High Court of Gujarat

16.03.2020	C 2605/2020	<i>The High Court of Gujarat issued a circular concerning information inter alia that High court will only take up urgent matter, no adverse orders to be passed in the absence of the counsel or party – in – person.</i>
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Instructions for Advocates for e-mail filing and video conferencing

Issuing Court: High Court of Kerala

Date not available	----	<i>The High Court of Kerala issued instruction to the advocates for e-filing and video conferencing</i>
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