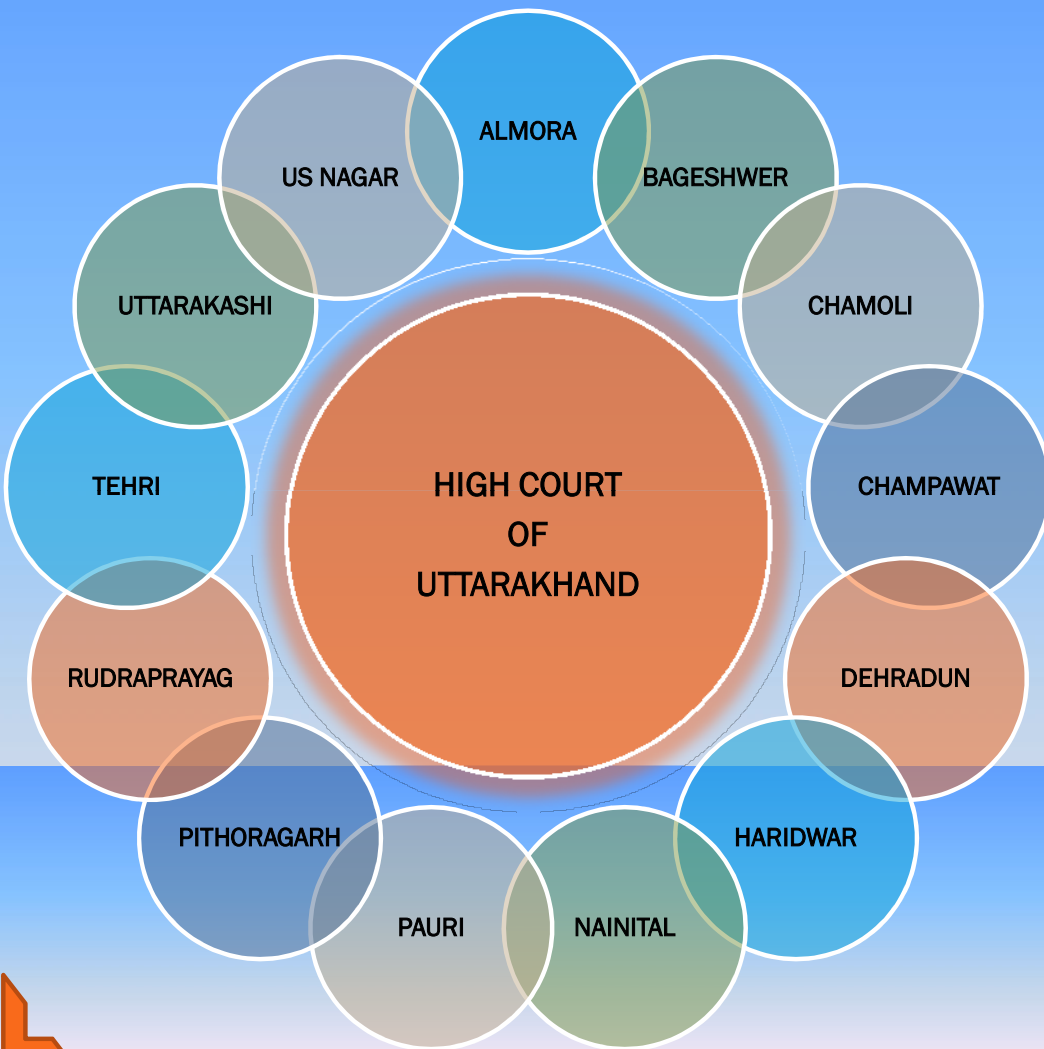


# HIGH COURT OF UTTARAKHAND

## Computerization

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# UTTARAKHAND JUDICIARY



<b>DISTRICTS</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>COURT COMPLEXES</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>COURTS</b>	<b>252</b>
<b>JUDICIAL OFFICERS (Working)</b>	<b>266</b>
<b>JUDICIAL OFFICERS (Sanctioned)</b>	<b>299</b>

## UTTARAKHAND JUDICIARY

Total pendency in subordinate courts.	3,30,217
Pendency of cases in 3 Districts, i.e. <i>Dehradun, Haridwar and US Nagar.</i>	2,75,348
Average pendency in remaining 10 hill Districts.	5,487
Judge case ratio.	1309
Judge Population ratio.	39400

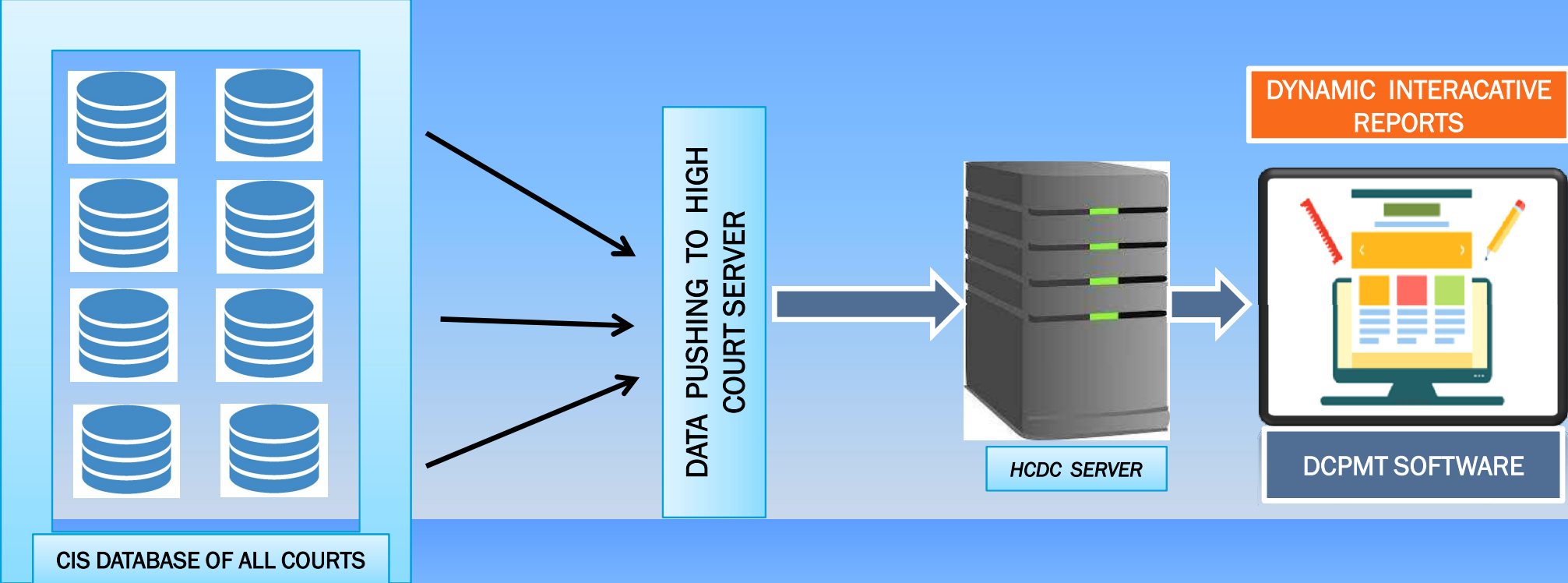
# BEST PRACTICES

- (1) Periodical Review of Performance of Judicial Officers using D.C.P.M.T.
- (2) Review with daily sitting (Proposed)
- (3) eTrue Copy of Judgments/Orders
- (4) Court Management (Court Reader Diary and Modified Display Board).
- (5) Witness Statement Recording Module
- (6) Legal Aid Information System.

# DISTRICT COURT PERFORMANCE MONITORING TOOL (D.C.P.M.T.)

- In order to review the working of each court.
- On certain parameters, namely, arguments, examination of witnesses, disposal, etc.
- Helps access the performance/bottlenecks.
- Online Review on any weekends.
- Helps in court-case management.
- It also generates reports officer-wise or district-wise, daily as well as monthly, on the same parameters.
- Under trial cases, old cases, its distribution.

# FLOW OF DATA IN DCPMT



# DEMO OF DCPMT

## E-TRUE COPY OF JUDGMENTS/ORDERS FOR HIGH COURT & ALL THE SUBORDINATE COURTS

“Electronic True Copy of Orders/Judgments” is a software application developed to provide litigants and the Advocates of the parties a platform to obtain electronic true copy of orders/judgments available in the National Judicial Data Grid. The main objective of this application is to provide the true copy of order/Judgement at the doorstep of needy person eliminating the requirement of visiting Court for obtaining a certified copy of order/Judgment.

**THE UTTARAKHAND HIGH COURT ELECTRONIC TRUE COPY RULES, 2022 WERE NOTIFIED  
VIDE NOTIFICATION NO. 338/UHC/ADMIN.A/2022, DATED: NOVEMBER 03 , 2022.**

As on date more than 13,000 orders/Judgements  
have been provided using eTrue Copy Application



## E-TRUE COPY OF JUDGMENTS/ORDERS

### OLD PROCESS

- Application for copy is submitted in a given formant.
- Court fee to be paid.
- Nature of application are Urgent & Simple
- Photocopy of judgments/orders taken from file and given to applicant
- It's a time consuming process with unnecessary procedural requirements

### NEW PROCESS

- E-true copy module is for both High Court and for all the Subordinate Courts.
- On the High Court/ District Court site “e-court copy menu” is given.
- Design and process is simplified and Judgment/order are being fetched from NJDG
- Authentic Copy is available on e-mail/download instantly.
- Authenticity is ensured by QR Codes-Bar Codes
- Rules with regard to certified copies changed .
- No fee is required

# METHODOLOGY FOR RECEIVING E-COPY OF ORDER A

**STEP-1**

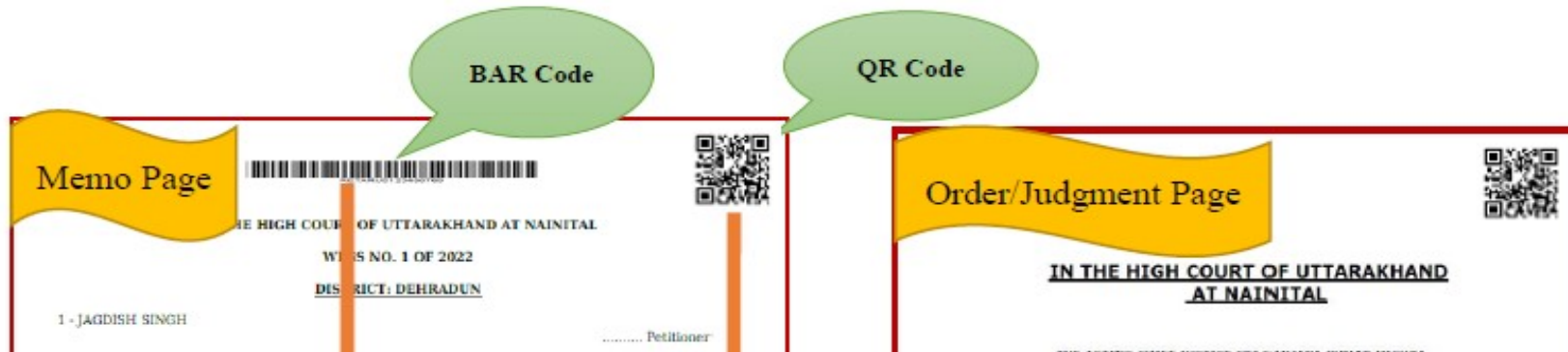
- Name
- Mobile No
- Do you want copy on Email
  - Yes ● No
- Apply By
  - i) Petitioner
  - ii) Respondent
  - iii) Advocates
  - iv) Others

**Submit**

**STEP-2**

- High Court      • District Court
- Case Type
- Case Number
- Case Year

**Search**



# DEMO OF ETRUE COPY APPLICATION

## MODIFIED DISPLAY BOARD & COURT READER DIARY

- The cases listed before the court, cases called and cases heard are now displayed on a display board, which is interactive with the court readers' online diary.
  - As soon as the case is called, it comes at the top of the display board with orange text on Black Strip.
  - The other list of cases keep on scrolling.
  - A case is called twice. If it remains un-responded, other case is called and this case also falls in the scrolling roll. Calling count is also shown.
  - In case hearing continues in any case, the display board shows the status accordingly.
  - Once hearing is complete in any case, on the display board, it is reflected in Peach colour.
  - Manual calling is proposed to be eliminated by API calling. The Pilot Project has run successfully.
- We are waiting for the budgets.

## MODIFIED DISPLAY BOARD.

28-04-2023 (Friday)

Chief Judicial Magistrate

SN	CASE NO	WITNESS NAME	PARTY ADVOCATE	STATUS	BUS
4	Criminal Case/948/2021 [State Of Uttarakhand Vs Kundan Singh Jeena]	बिन्दु मेहरा, दीवान सिंह, एस०आइ० नेहा राणा, Soni Devi, का०432 ना० पु० बलवन्त प्रसाद, सब इंस्पैक्टर पूनम रावत	A.P.O. Versus Mr. Manoj Kumar Pant	In Progress	
14	Criminal Case/333/2023 [R.T.O. Almora Vs Ram Kishor]		A.P.O. Versus		
15	Criminal Case/334/2023 [R.T.O. Almora Vs Aslam Ahmad]		A.P.O. Versus		
16	Criminal Case/335/2023 [R.T.O. Almora Vs Anand Singh]		A.P.O. Versus		
17	Criminal Case/214/2022 [State Of Uttarakhand Vs Shama Rastogi And Others]		A.P.O. Versus		
18	Criminal Case/888/2022 [State Vs Rohit Kumar And Another]		A.P.O. Versus		
19	Criminal Case/865/2021 [State Vs Pan Singh Bisht]	रघुवर सिंह भाकुनी, मनोज सिंह नयाल, कालू चंद, रिटायर्ड उपनिरीक्षक परिवहन, डॉ० भूपेन्द्र सिंह बिष्ट	A.P.O. Versus	Completed	Adj
20	Criminal Miscellaneous/79/2023 [Kheela Devi Vs Kailash Singh Negi]		Mr. Chandan Singh Bagdwal Versus		Rep
21	Criminal Case/869/2021 [State Vs Nirmal Singh Biroliya]	श्रीमती रेनू बरोलिया, श्रीमती नंदी देवी, हे०कानि० १७४ ना० पु० विनोद कुमार	A.P.O. Versus Mr. Krishna Singh Bisht		Adj
22	Criminal Miscellaneous/217/2022 [Amit Bagadwal Vs Unknown]		A.P.O. Versus		
1	Criminal Case/955/2019 [State Of Uttarakhand Vs Dr. Poonam Garkoti And Other]		A.P.O. Versus Mr. Hira Ballabh Nainwal	1 - Times	

The modified Display Board displays Case No, Witness Name, Party/Advocate, Status, Business, Next data and Purpose in a attractive manner for stakeholders.

## MODIFIED DISPLAY BOARD AND READER DIARY DEMO

## WITNESS EVIDENCE/STATEMENT RECORDING MODULE IN CIS

A new module has been developed and integrated with CIS to change the existing methodology of recording evidences/statements in the Court.



## WITNESS EVIDENCE/STATEMENT RECORDING MODULE IN CIS

### EXISTING PROCESS



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• Witness Statement is typed in the Computer/Typewriter..

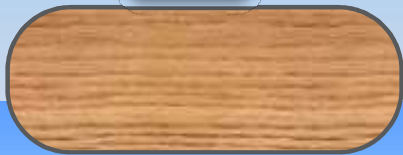
2

• At the end , the printout is taken and signed by the witness and Presiding Officer.

3

• Hard Copies are kept in file and attested photocopies provided as per rules.

### REVISED PROCESS



1

• Witness Statement is typed in the newly developed module of CIS software .

2

• At the end, the witness and Presiding Officer signed the document using signature pad.

3

• Soft Copy of statement is saved in server and one copy transmitted through email in the email address of stakeholders.

### BENIFITS

Less human intervention

Minimum delay in transmission of copies to stakeholder.





## WITNESS EVIDENCE/STATEMENT RECORDING MODULE IN CIS

## LEGAL AID INFORMATION SYSTEM (L.A.I.S.)

**Legal Aid Information System** is a website/portal developed for Uttarakhand State Legal Service Authority (UKSLSA) by which Applicant can submit their application online for requesting free legal aid. SLSA/DLSA/TLSC process the application through this portal. Portal also provide facilities to track application status online/various reports to administrator etc.

# LEGAL AID INFORMATION SYSTEM (L.A.I.S.)



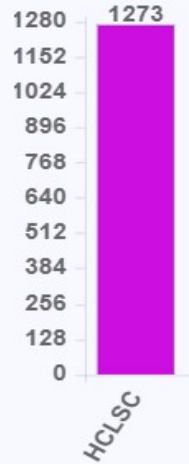
## कानूनी सहायता जानकारी प्रणाली (LAIS) उत्तराखंड राज्य कानूनी सेवा प्राधिकरण (UKSLSA)

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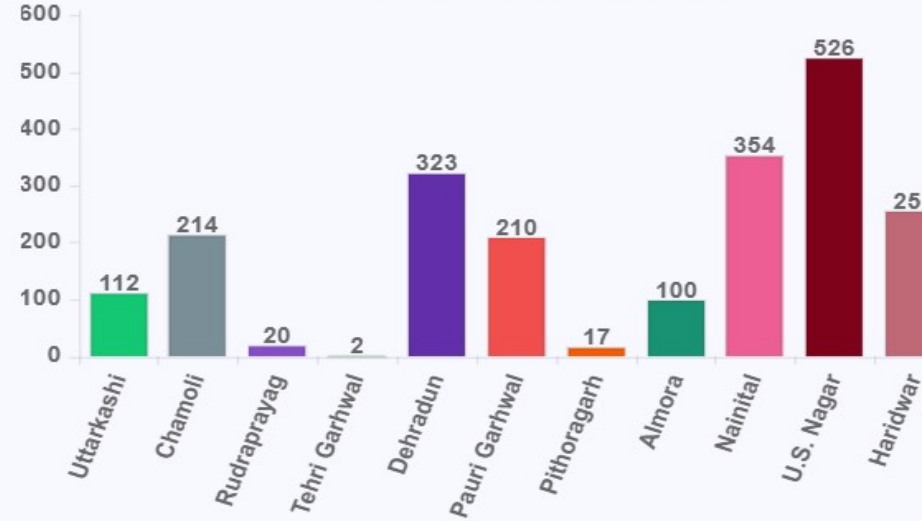
### कुल आवेदन स्थिति



### HCLSC / SLSA आवेदन



### जिले के अनुसार लंबित आवेदन



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# LEGAL AID INFORMATION SYSTEM (L.A.I.S.)

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शिकायत दर्ज करें

सहायता साधक

समस्या की प्रकृति

आवेदन की तारीख (दिन-माह-साल) :

28-04-2023

वर्तमान दिनांक और समय :

28-04-2023

## सहायता साधक का विवरण

\* प्रपत्र माध्यम :

APPLICANT

\* नाम :

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

\* लिंग :

पुरुष

महिला

ट्रांसजेंडर

\* पात्रता मापदंड :

Select

जन्म तिथि (दिन-माह-साल) :

मोबाइल नंबर :

Mobile No.

Landline No.

ईमेल :

john.doe@example.com

\* परिवेदना भेजे :

राज्य कानूनी सेवा प्राधिकरण

उच्च न्यायालय कानूनी सेवा समिति

जिला कानूनी सेवा प्राधिकरण

\* पता :

Select State

स्थायी पता :

Select State


Online Form to request  
Free Legal Aid.

## LEGAL AID INFORMATION SYSTEM (L.A.I.S.)

- ✓ **Accessibility:** The legal aid portal can be accessed from any remote location, making it easier for individuals in need of legal aid to file applications.
- ✓ **Advocate Assignment:** The assigned advocate can be viewed by the applicant by entering their application number.
- ✓ **Case Information:** The case number filed by the assigned Legal Aid Advocates can be viewed by the applicant through the portal.
- ✓ **Case Status:** The applicant can check the status of their case through the online portal, providing transparency and reducing uncertainty.
- ✓ **Contact Information:** Contact information for the concerned PLV and Legal Aid Panel Lawyers can be viewed by the applicant for guidance and assistance.
- ✓ **Comprehensive Dashboard:** The portal includes a dashboard that displays a large amount of data in an efficient way, making it easier for the admin and user to monitor or view incoming applications and track their status of disposal.
- ✓ **User-Friendly Experience:** The online portal is designed to provide a user-friendly experience, making it easier for individuals to navigate the system and file applications.


# PHASE-I

## WHAT WAS TO BE DONE VS. WHAT HAS BEEN DONE



**DURARTION:-** 2007 to 30<sup>th</sup> March 2015

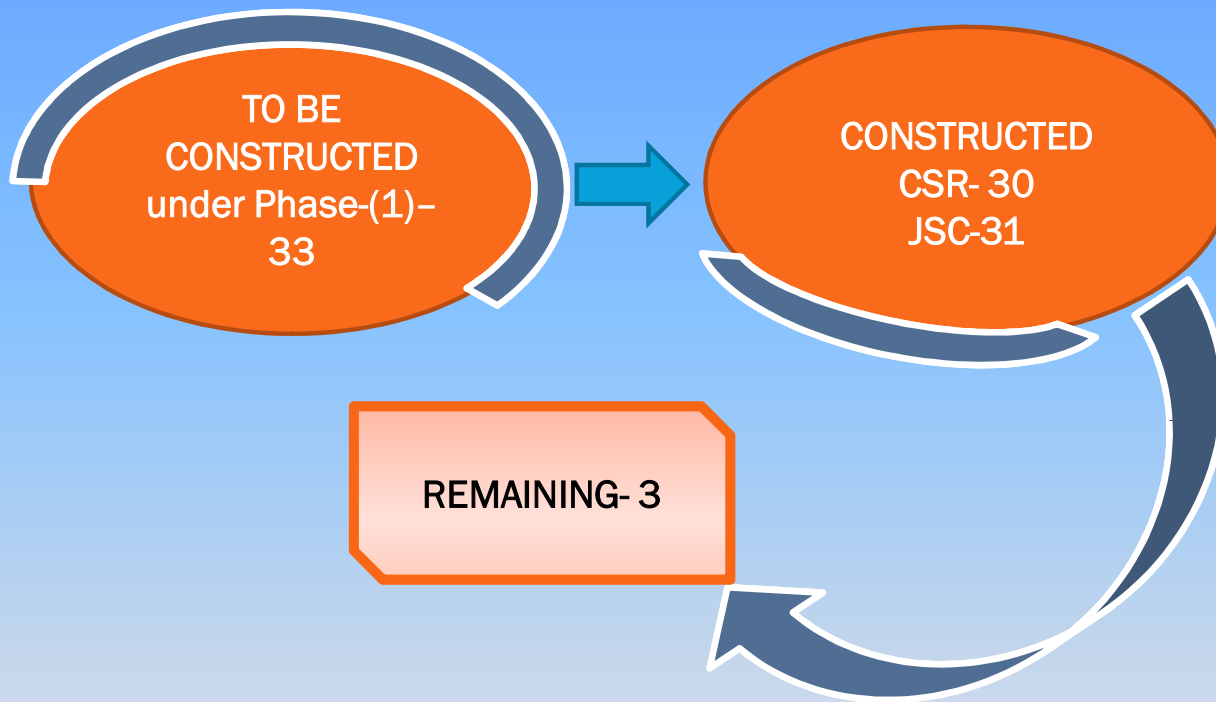
**OBJECTIVE:-** Initiation of the ICT Implementation in the Judicial System



Total Court Complexes (District and Taluka court complexes) covered :- 33



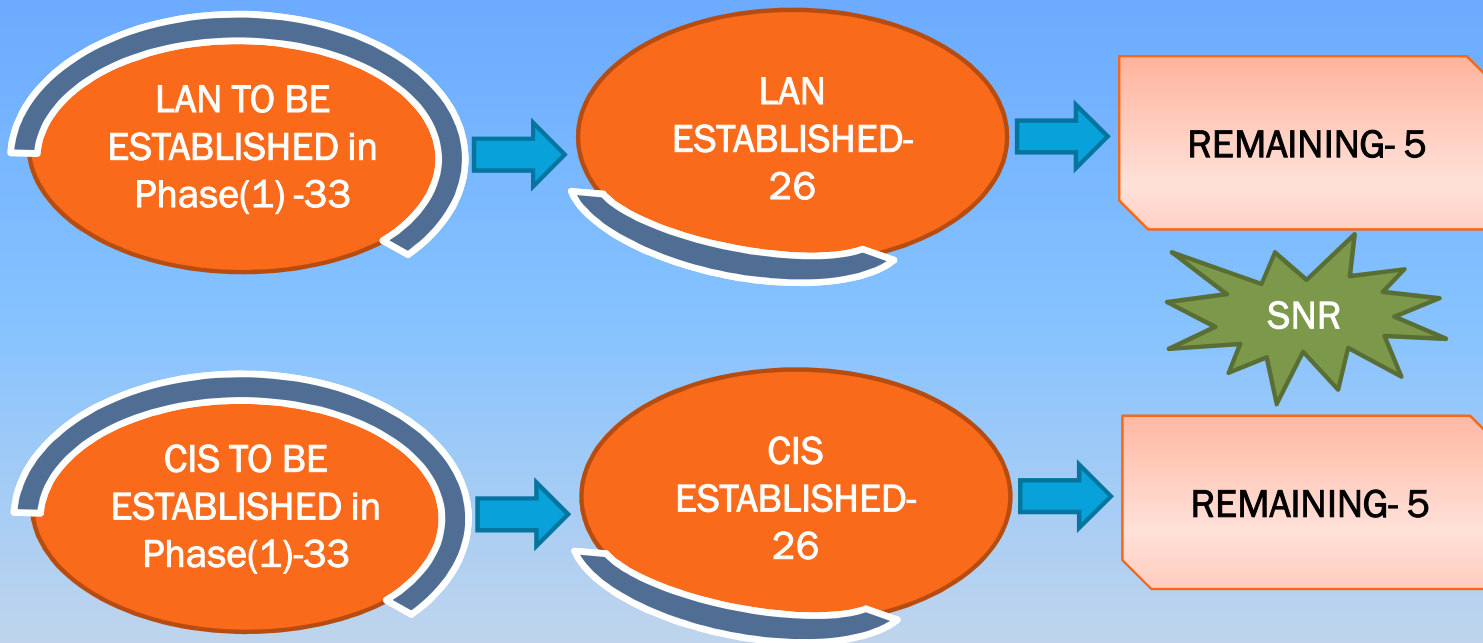
# COMPUTER SERVER ROOMS AND JUDICIAL SERVICE CENTRES



Computer rooms and Judicial Service Centers were setup in 30 court complexes out of 33 CCs. Other Court complexes were left out due to Sites not Ready.

JSC & Network rooms are being included in the construction of new Court buildings.

# LAN AND CASE INFORMATION SOFTWARE (CIS)



Hardware, LAN and CIS software installation were done at 26 Court complexes.

Out of 5, LAN of 2 CCs has been done using funds of eCourt Phase-II.

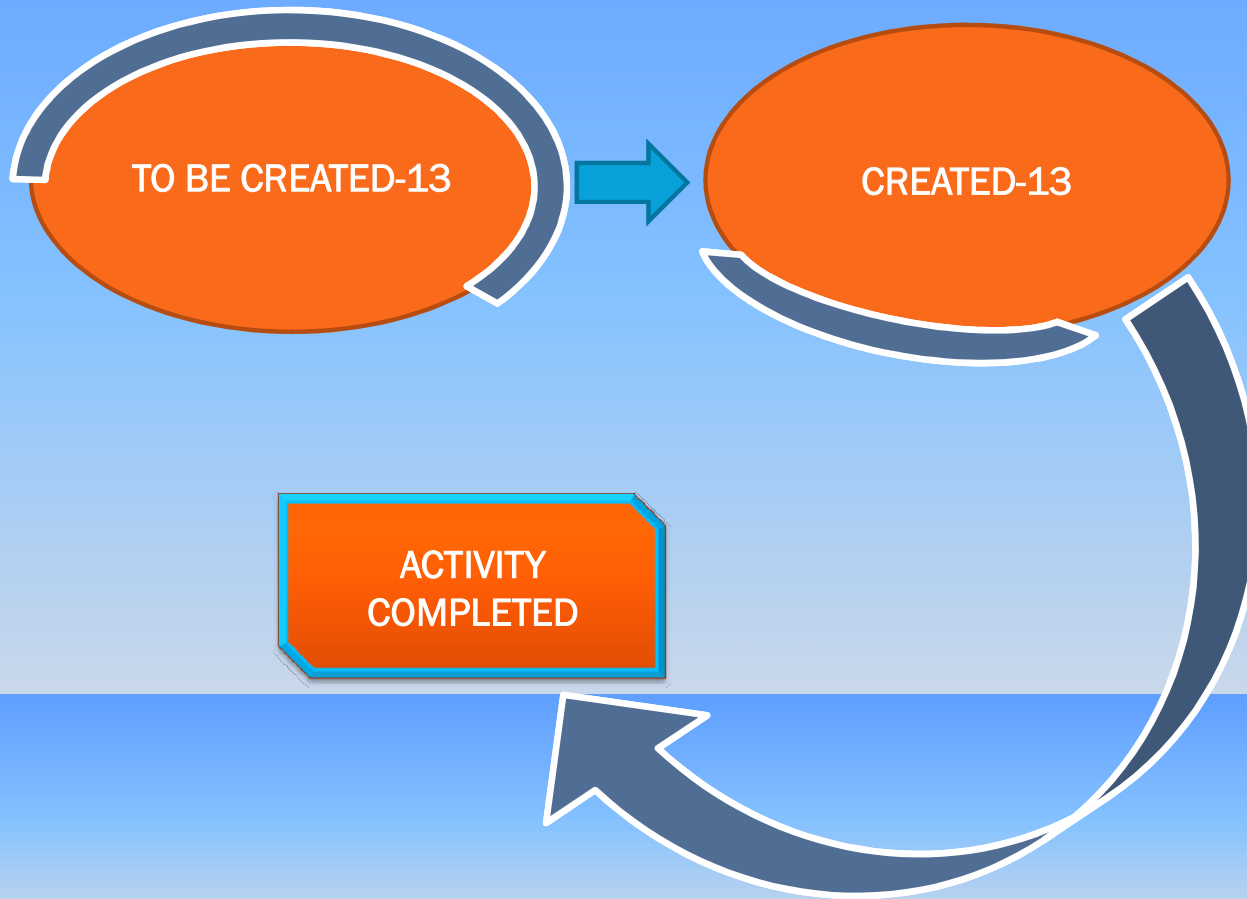
LAN in 7 Court Complexes has been done with funds from State Government.

(1) As on date 35 Court Complexes (28 eCourt + 7 State fund) are having LAN.

(2) As on Date CIS is Functional in 70 Court Complexes (including Family Courts and Commercial Courts & JJB)



# WEBSITES OF DISTRICT COURTS



District Court Websites were created for all the 13 District Courts.

# CHANGE MANAGEMENT, TRAINING & PROCESS RE-ENGINEERING

Change Management Exercise to train the Judicial Officers and Court Staff in the use of computers and Case Information System (CIS)

District System Administrators (DSAs) were to be trained from amongst the staff, on the use of CIS

The Process Re-Engineering exercise was to be initiated to have a fresh look on the process, procedures, systems and Court Rules in force in the different District Courts under High Courts

Activity accomplished.  
*(09 Judicial Officers and 10 Court Staff were trained by Hon'ble eCommittee)*

Activity accomplished.  
*(10 District System Administrators from the District staff trained by Hon'ble eCommittee,)*

Activity accomplished.  
*(General Rules (Civil) and General Rule (Criminal) have been amended).*

# PHASE-II

## WHAT WAS TO BE DONE VS. WHAT HAS BEEN DONE

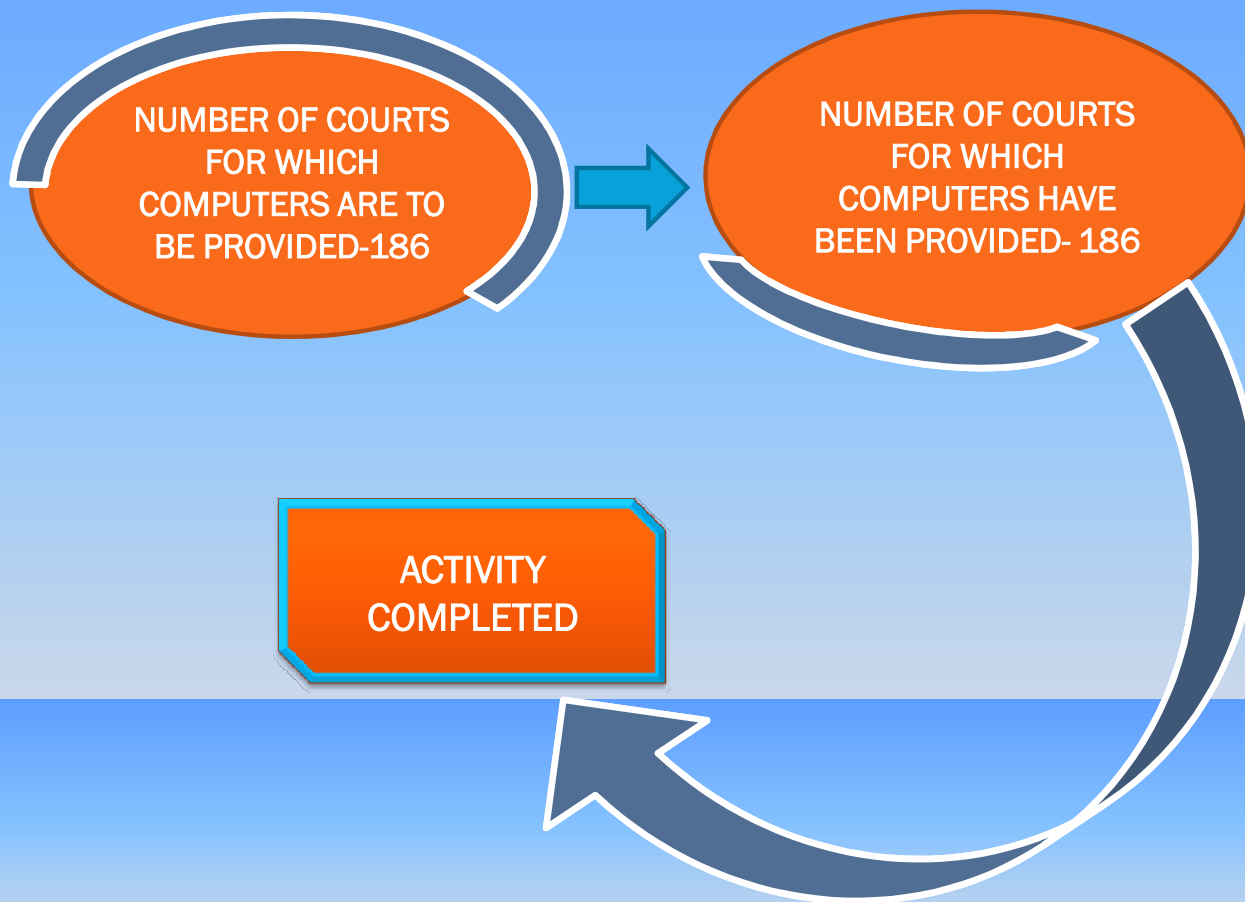
**DURARTION:-** 1<sup>st</sup> April 2015 onwards

**OBJECTIVE:-** ICT Implementation in the Judicial System

Total Court complexes covered under Phase-II = 52

District Courts = 14 (Dehradun has two Court Complexes) & Taluka Courts = 38

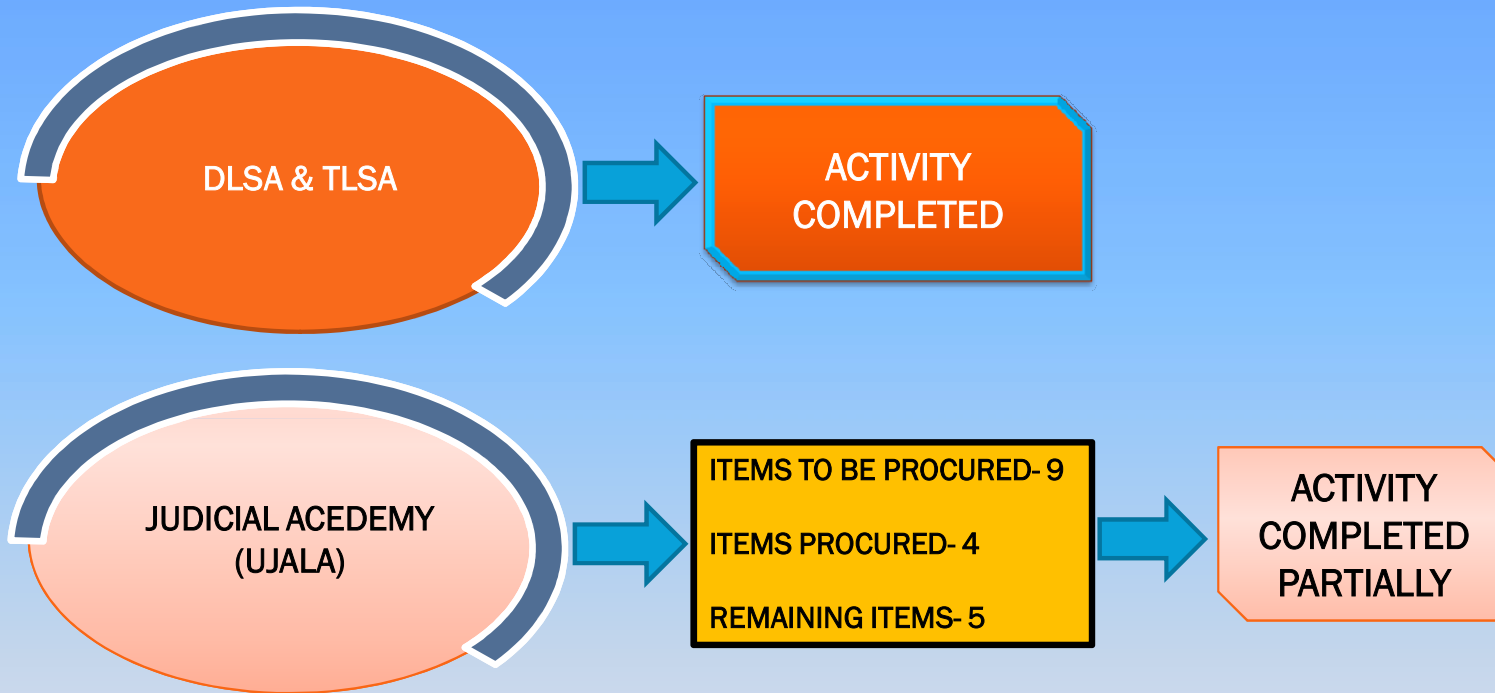
## COMPUTER (1+3) FOR COURT ROOMS *i.e.* 186



Every court covered under the Phase-II were to provisioned with (1+3) computer systems per Court Room. Further, the Courts left in Phase-I and the newly established Courts were provided with computer systems, LAN etc.

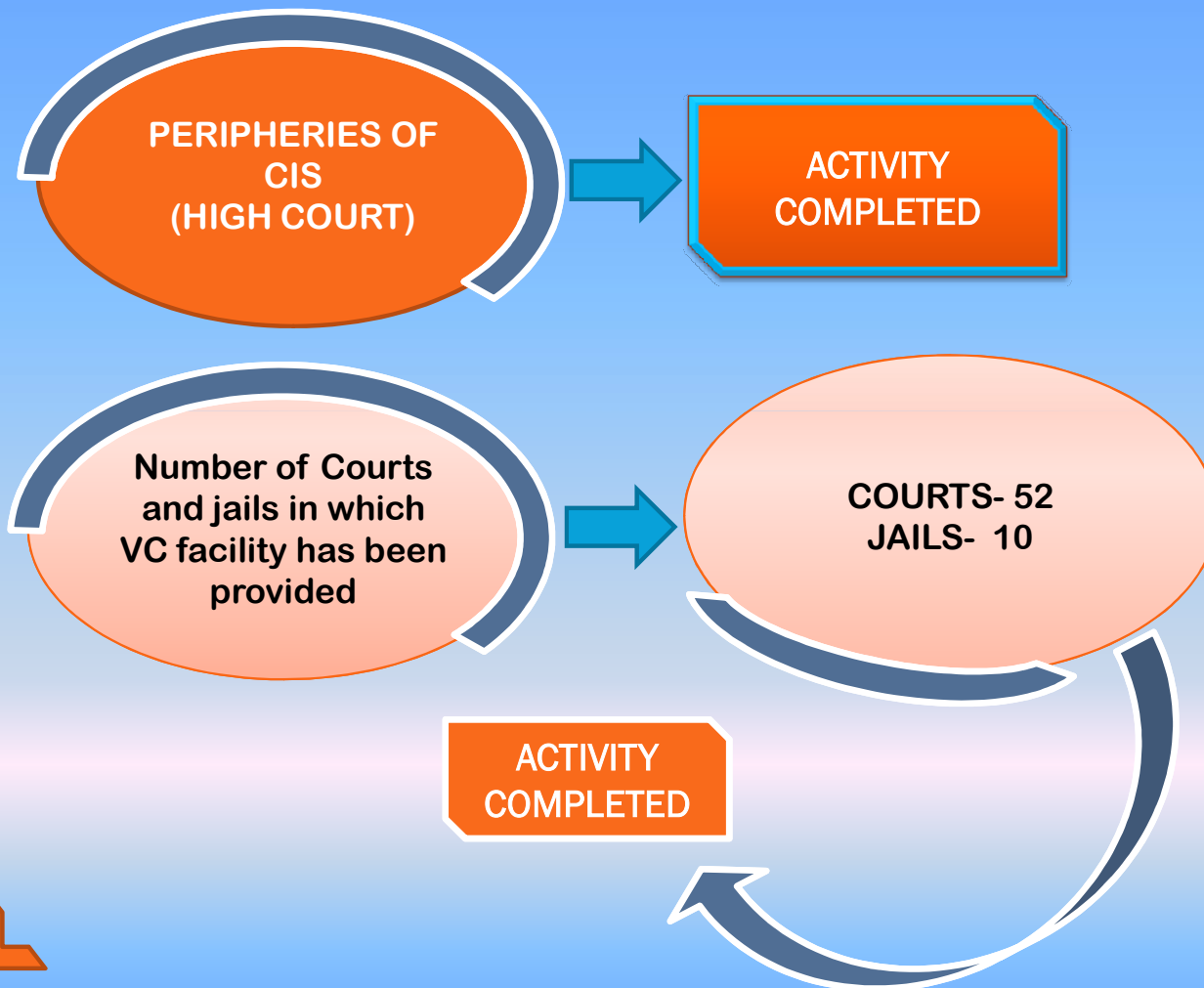
A Total of 186 Courts were provided with Computers systems and Local Area Network). This figure includes 20 courts which were left out in Phase-I.

# HARDWARE FOR DLSA, TLSC AND JUDICIAL ACADEMIES



Judicial Academy has to procure 9 items i.e. Projector, Desktops, Printer, LAN, Scanner, UPS, HDD, DG Set and Studio VC Out of which UJALA has procured only 4 items i.e. Desktop, UPS, HDD and LAN. The items i.e. DG Set and Studio VC are not required by UJALA. Remaining items could not be procured by UJALA due to Project end/budget limitations.

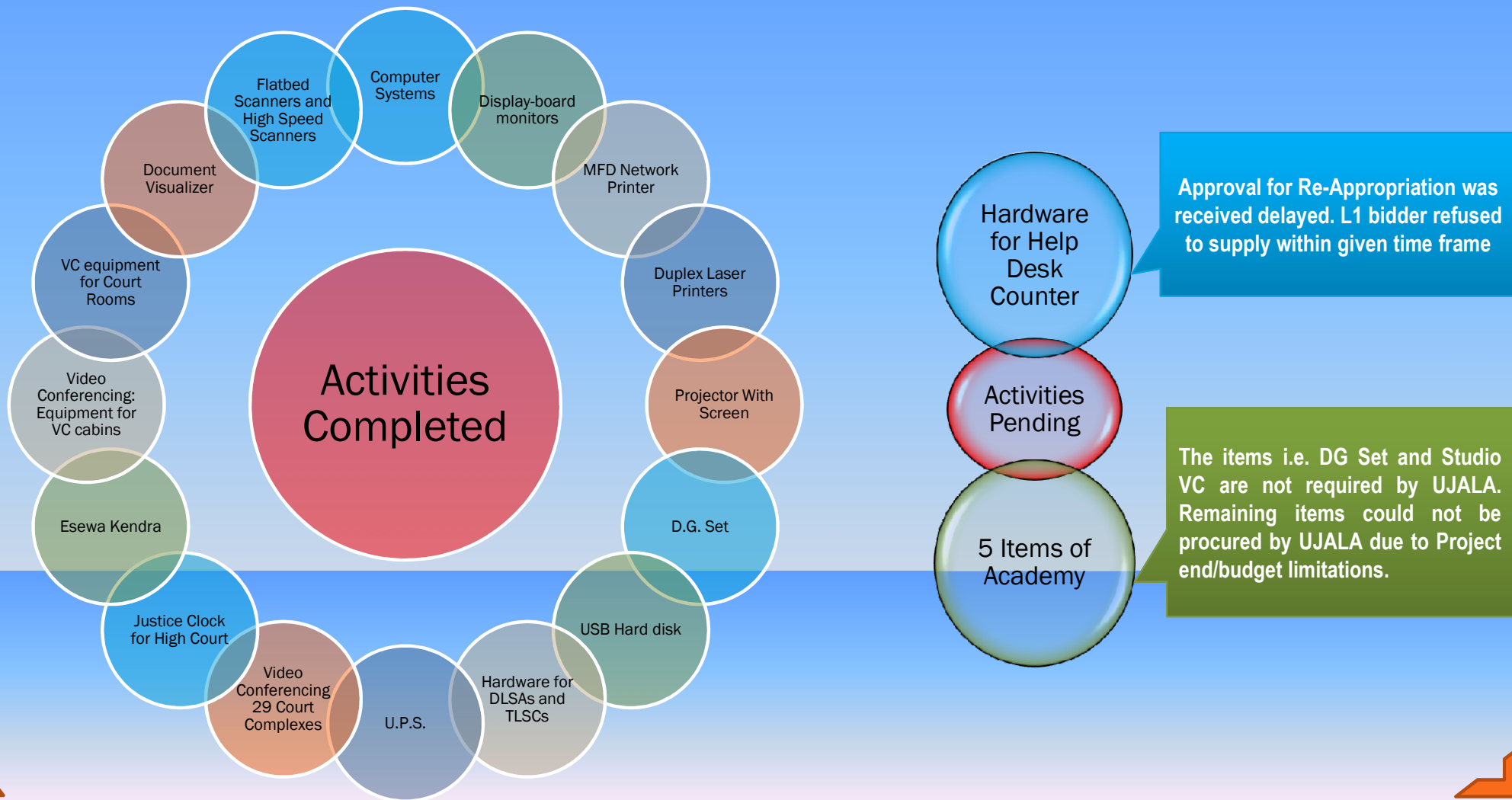
# PERIPHERIES OF CIS AND VC CONNECTIVITY WITH JAILS COURTS




Core-Periphery software has been developed in Case Information Software.

Video conferencing facility has been established between courts and jails of Uttarakhand through which remand work is being done at subordinate courts. Video Conference facility has been installed at 52 court complexes, and at 10 Jails of Uttarakhand in the present.

# PROCUREMENT OF HARDWARE (PHASE-II)



# **DIGITIZATION OF COURT RECORDS HIGH COURT & SUBORDINATE COURTS**



**DURARTION:- 2012 to 2015**

**OBJECTIVE:- Digitization of Disposed Records.**

**NUMBER OF PAGES DIGITIZED:- 1,32,00,000**





# DIGITIZATION AT HIGH COURT OF UTTARAKHAND

1

On dated 08/08/2012 tender for digitization was published and after due process the work had been awarded to M/s HCL Infosystem Ltd .

2

M/s HCL Infosystem Ltd had to scan 1,3,200000 (1 crore + 32 lakh additional remaining pages) pages in PDF/A and to provide data repository (IDMS) in DSPACE Ver 3.x (an open source repository).

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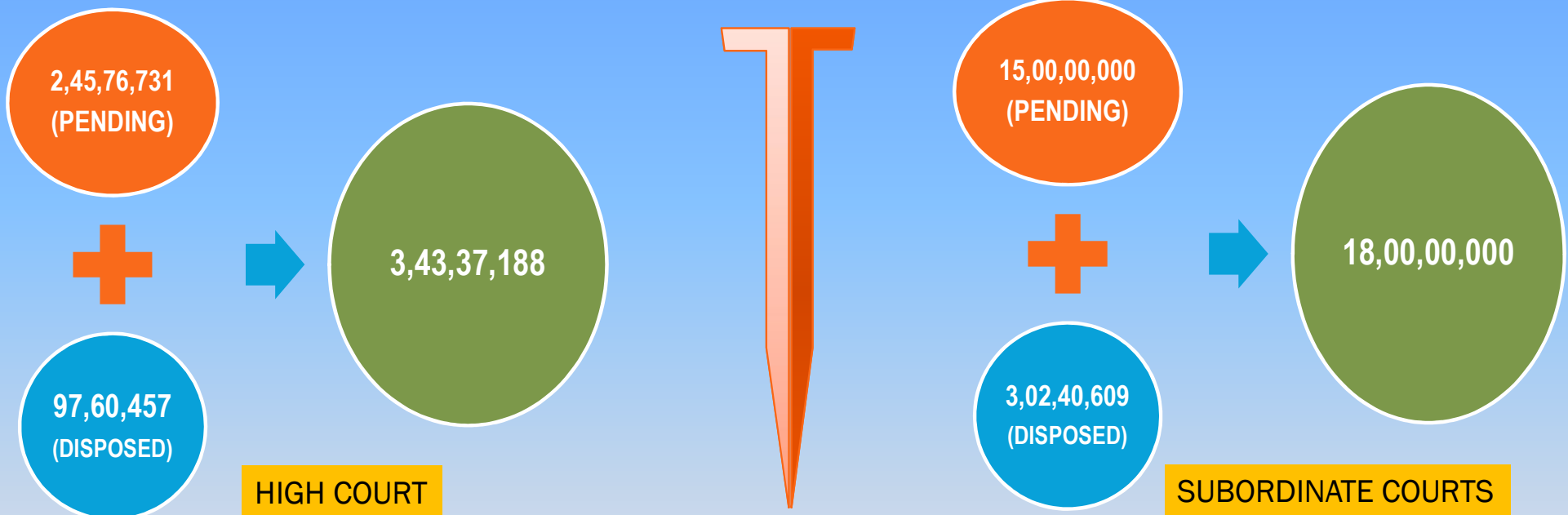
The aforesaid Digitized data has been kept in the Dedicated Xeon Server (256 GB RAM) and is being used by Record Room, Copying Section, Library and other Sections for tracking of case files. One backup of said data is kept in the ITDA DC Dehradun.

4

Existing DMS version is obsolete and don't have provisions for managing pending cases, linked cases etc. and need an upgrade.

VERIFICATION OF DATA FROM HIGH COURT IS PENDING

# DIGITIZATION TO BE DONE MAGNITUDE ESTIMATION



## COURT RECORDS TO BE DIGITIZED AT SUBORDINATE COURTS

HIGH COURT (A)	SUBORDINATE COURTS [B]	FAMILY COURTS [C]	COMMERCIAL COURTS [D]	TOTAL PAGES [A]+[B]+[C]+[D]
3,43,37,188	18,00,00,000	26,14,730	3,81,470	<b>Approx 22,00,00,000</b>

# STEPS TAKEN FOR DIGITIZATION

Fund Requisition Sent to State Government for Procurement of DMS in November 2022

Reminder and Clarification sent on February 2023

Pending with State

Fund Requisition to the tune of 40 Crore (NICS Rates) with complete Project Report Sent to State Government for Digitization of High Court and all the Subordinate Courts

Pending with State

Permission to engage Manpower for Verification of Digitized Data Sent to State Government

Pending with State

THANK YOU...