

HON'BLE HIGH COURT OF UTTARAKHAND AT NAINITAL
ROSTER OF HON'BLE BENCHES
W.E.F. 12.10.2026 (Monday)

HON'BLE DIVISION BENCH	MATTERS
In Chief Justice's Court Division Bench I Hon'ble the Acting Chief Justice And Hon'ble Mr. Justice Subhash Upadhyay Monday to Thursday (Full day) & Friday (Pre-Lunch sessions, and Special Division Benches will sit in post-lunch sessions) Notes: 1. All fresh matters will be taken up for admission on all working days of Hon'ble Division Bench. 2. Monday for WPSB 3. Tuesday for SPA, Commercial Appellate Division, Other First Appeals 4. Wednesday for PILS 5. Thursday for WPMB and other writ petitions. 6. Friday for other matters 7. All matters relating to forest land under Article 226/227 are assigned to this Bench, which will also be known as Green Bench. 8. All writ petitions under Forest Act, Environmental Clearance, Pollution Control Act, Environment Protection Act, Water Conservation Act, Mines and Minerals, Forest Tender will also be heard by this Bench. 9. All W.Ps. relating to medical, dental, engineering courses, admission and fees structure will be heard by this Bench. 10. MPs/MLAs court related DB matter will be heard by this Bench.	1. Writ Petitions Service Bench 2. PILs 3. Commercial Tax Revisions 4. Trade Tax Revisions 5. Central Excise Appeals 6. VAT Revisions 7. Commercial Appellate Division 8. Writ Petitions or any matter challenging order/judgment of the Commercial Court. 9. Writ Petitions arising out of GST Act 10. Writ Petitions Misc. Bench 11. Company Appeals 12. Contempt Appeals 13. Special Appeals 14. Election Appeals 15. Civil Reference 16. Income Tax Appeals 17. RERA Appeals 18. Other First Appeals 19. Matters, in which, constitutional validity of any enactment, ordinance, rule, bye-law, regulation, policy etc. having force of law is challenged. 20. All WPSBs filed by Judicial Officers of the State 21. Other Assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)
In Court No. 2 Division Bench II Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ravindra Maithani And Hon'ble Mr. Justice Siddhartha Sah (Monday to Friday) (In Pre Lunch Sessions)	1. Criminal Appeals 2. Criminal Jail Appeals 3. Government Appeals 4. Criminal Contempt Petitions 5. Criminal Writ Petitions 6. Criminal Misc. Cases 7. Habeas Corpus 8. Death Reference 9. First Appeals (Family Court Matters) 10. Appeal from Orders (Family Court Matters) 11. Other Assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)

HON'BLE SINGLE BENCHES	MATTERS
In Chief Justice's Court Hon'ble the Acting Chief Justice Friday (Post Lunch Sessions)	1. Applications under Section 11 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 2. Other assigned matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)
Court No. 2 Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ravindra Maithani (Monday to Friday) (In Post Lunch Sessions)	1. Writ Petition Misc Single under article 227 2. Appeal against Orders (year 2023 and 2024) 3. Election Petitions 4. MP/MLA Court matters 5. Testamentary Appeals 6. Company Petitions 7. Other Civil Misc cases 8. Other assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)
Court No. 3 Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rakesh Thapliyal (Monday to Friday) (Full Day)	1. Writ Petitions Service Single (year 2017 and onward) 2. Appeal against Orders (year 2025 and onward) 3. Other assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)
Court No. 4 Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pankaj Purohit (Monday to Friday) (Full Day)	1. Writ Petition Misc Single under article 226 2. Civil Contempt Petitions 3. Writ Petitions Criminal (WPCRL) under Article 226 and 227 4. Bail Application (upto 2025) 5. Anticipatory Bail Applications 6. Anticipatory Bail Cancellation Applications arising from Districts 7. Appeal against Orders (year 2020 to 2022) 8. Other assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)
Court No. 5 Hon'ble Mr. Justice Alok Mahra (Monday to Friday) (Full Day)	1. Bail Applications (year 2026) 2. Bail Cancellation Applications arising from Districts 3. Applications under section 528 of BNSS 4. Applications under section 482 of CrPC 5. Criminal Appeals 6. Criminal Jail Appeals 7. Government Appeals 8. Appeal against Orders (year 2018 and 2019) 9. Other assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)

Court No. 6 Hon’ble Mr. Justice Subhash Upadhyay (Friday in Post Lunch Sessions)	1. Civil Revision 2. Transfer Applications (Civil) 3. Writ Petitions Service Single (upto year 2016) 4. Appeal against Orders (year 2016 to 2017) 5. Other assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)
Court No. 7 Hon’ble Mr. Justice Siddhartha Sah (Monday to Friday in Post Lunch Sessions)	1. First Appeals and Trade Union Appeal 2. Second Appeals 3. Criminal Revision/Criminal Jail Revisions 4. Transfer Applications (Criminal) 5. Appeal against Orders (upto year 2015) 6. Other Criminal Misc. Cases 7. Other assigned Matters (Admission, orders and hearing including fresh cases)

Note:-

1. All matters, on change of this Roster, shall stand released and shall be listed before the Benches, as per this Roster, except the matters, which are nominated or reserved for judgment or are part heard.
2. Successive Bail Application(s) of same accused be listed as per the concerned Office Notifications of Hon’ble Court.
3. If Bail or Anticipatory Bail has been granted by the Hon’ble Court, application for cancellation thereof be listed before the Bench, which has granted the bail or anticipatory bail.
4. Bail Applications (including in Criminal Appeals/Criminal Jail Appeals etc.) be listed on priority basis. Bail Applications in Criminal Appeals/Criminal Jail Appeals, where the convicts/appellants have served half of the sentence awarded by the Trial Courts, be listed on top of the Cause List under a separate caption “**Priority Bail Applications**”.
5. All matters against orders/judgments of Tribunals/Authorities/Commissions presided over by Former High Court Judges will be heard by Division Bench only.
6. Any other matter, not mentioned in this Roster, shall be listed as per the special or general directions of Hon’ble the Acting Chief Justice.

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