## HIGH COURT OF TRIPURA AGARTALA

No.F.44(1)(c)-HC/2021/ 10603

17th May, 2021

## ORDER

In view of lock-down restrictions imposed by the District Magistrates of the concerned Districts in Kailashahar Municipal area, Udaipur Municipal area and Amarpur Nagar Panchayat area, for working of the District Courts including Family Courts which fall within the limits of the said Municipal/Nagar Panchayat areas, following arrangements shall come into operation with immediate effect:

- (i) In District Courts, Unakoti and Gomati which are situated within the restriction zones of Kailashahar and Udaipur respectively, the District Judge concerned shall assign duties on rotational basis to one Judicial Magistrate First Class-cum-Civil Judge (Jr. Div.) who may be authorised to act both on civil as well as criminal side, one Judicial Officer in the cadre of Civil Judge (Sr. Div.) and one officer in the cadre of Addl. District Judge/District Judge who shall attend only urgent Court work. Since there is only one Judge of the Family Court in both the stations and urgent work in the Family Courts is limited, the concerned Family Court Judges may remain at home but would be on call duty. One person from the Registry may be posted to attend the Court during the Court hours and the concerned Judge, Family Court may visit the Court to deal with such urgent case as and when it comes up.
- (ii) For Amapur Sub-Divisional Court, the sole Judicial Officer posted there shall remain at home on call duty. Minimum required staff may be posted in the Registry who shall communicate with the concerned Judge as and

when an urgent case in the nature of production of an accused or any such similar work comes up upon which the learned Judge shall visit the Court to deal with such urgent work.

- (iii) We are informed that the Court of the Addl. District Judge at Sepahijala is outside the containment zone, however the residence of the concerned Addl. District Judge falls within the containment zone. Since the Court is situated outside the containment zone we do not see any difficulty in functioning of the Court for urgent matters as per our previous orders. The movement of the Addl. District Judge to and fro from home to office, surely would not be restricted by the administration. In any case the District Judge, Sonamura may make necessary communication in this regard to the administration for unhindered movement of the concerned Addl. District Judge and the support staff if needed.
- (iv) Entry of the litigants will be strictly restricted in all these Court centers and they shall be allowed to enter only if their presence is absolutely necessary.
- (v) During the period when this arrangement continues, for the purpose of filing of cases, these days shall be deemed to be holidays for the purpose of the Limitation Act.

This arrangement shall continue till 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2021 unless modified or recalled sooner.

By order, Sd/-

(**D. M. Jamatia**) Registrar General

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- 01. The Secretary General, Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, New Delhi;
- 02. The Registrar Generals of all the High Courts in India;
- 03. The Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Law & Justice, New Delhi;
- 04. The Principal Secretary to Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- 05. The Secretary to Hon'ble Mr. Justice S. Talapatra, Judge, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- 06. The Secretary to Hon'ble Mr. Justice Arindam Lodh, Judge, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- 07. The Secretary to Hon'ble Mr. Justice S. G. Chattopadhyay, Judge, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- The Advocate General, Tripura, Agartala;
- 09. The Sr. Govt. Advocate, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- The Chairman, Bar Council of Tripura, Agartala;
- 11. The Govt. Advocate, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- 12. The Secretary, High Court Bar Association, Agartala;
- The Secretary, Tripura Bar Association, Agartala;
- 14. The Assistant Solicitor General of India, Govt. of India, Agartala;
- 15. The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- The LR & Secretary, Law, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala;
- 17. The District & Sessions Judge, South Tripura District, Belonia/Gomati District, Udaipur/West Tripura District, Agartala/Unakoti District, Kailashahar/North Tripura District, Dharmanagar/Khowai District, Khowai/Dhalai District, Ambassa/Sepahijala District, Sonamura for information. They are requested to circulate the same amongst all the Presiding Officers under their respective judgeships for their information. They are also requested to circulate the order to all the Bar Associations under their respective Districts;
- 18. The Judge, Family Court, Kailashahar, Unakoti District/Agartala, West Tripura District/Udaipur, Gomati District/Ambassa, Dhalai District/Khowai, Khowai District/Sonamura, Sepahijala District/Dharmanagar, North Tripura/ Belonia, South Tripura for information. They are requested to circulate the same amongst all the Judicial Officers under their respective judgeships for their information;
- 19. The Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- 20. The Registrar (Judicial), High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- 21. The Registrar (Admn., P & M), High Court of Tripura, Agartala;
- 22. The Joint Registrar, High Court of Tripura, Agartala;

- The Deputy Registrar(s), High Court of Tripura, Agartala; 23.
- The Chief Librarian, High Court of Tripura, Agartala; 24.
- The Assistant Registrar(s), High Court of Tripura, Agartala; 25.
- The System Analyst, Computer Section, High Court of Tripura, 26. Agartala. He is directed to take necessary steps regarding uploading of this order in the official website of the High Court of Tripura as well as in the official websites of the District Courts of Tripura;
- All the Superintendents, High Court of Tripura, Agartala; 27.
- The Sr. Grade Translator-cum-I/C. Paper Book Section, High Court of 28. Tripura, Agartala;
- The Court Master(s), High Court of Tripura, Agartala; 29.
- The Bench Clerk(s), High Court of Tripura, Agartala; 30.
- Notice Board of the Court-house; and 31.
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