OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE (HQ), TIS HAZARI COURTS, DELHI

SECOND MODIFICATION ORDER

Order No.8427-8527/CB/Covid19 Lockdown/e-filing & VC hearings/2020 dated:04.05.2020, which was modified vide Modification Order No. 8528-8638/CB/Covid19 Lockdown/e-filing & VC hearings/2020 dated:07.05.2020 is modified further with effect from 16.05.2020 till further orders to a limited extent as follows.

A. Urgent matters pertaining to the courts held by the Additional District Judges and by the Additional Sessions Judges can be continued to be filed by counsel or litigant concerned physically at the Filing Counter or through e-mail at *urgentsessioncentral@gmail.com*, which mail shall be henceforth under control of ***Shri Gurvinder Singh Sodhi***, SJA (***Phone No. 9971573336***), the Co-Ordinator-I. Urgent matters pertaining to the courts held by the Magistrates and by the Civil Judges can be continued to be filed by counsel or litigant concerned physically at the Filing Counter or through e-mail at *urgentcmmscjcentral@gmail.com*, which mail shall continue to be under control of Shri Suresh Pahuja, SJA (Phone No.9899819888), the Co-Ordinator-II. The e-mails of urgent matters shall be sent to the Co-Ordinator concerned only between 09:00am and 05:00pm on a working day.

B. In performing their official duties as stipulated in Order No. 8427-8527/CB/Covid19 Lockdown/e-filing & VC hearings/2020 dated:04.05.2020, the Co-Ordinator-I shall be assisted by Shri Lal Chand, JA and the Co-Ordinator-II shall be assisted by Shri Atul Hasti, JA. But the said Judicial Assistants (JAs) shall not be authorised to communicate with the counsel/litigants directly or over telephone/e-mail.

C. ***In compliance with directions issued by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in the case titled: Hans Raj & Others vs State of Delhi & Others, WP(Crl)804/2020, vide order dated 14.05.2020, it is ordered that in bail matters, there will be no insistence on filing of the signed/attested vakalatnama, signed and attested affidavits or applications where the applicant is in jail and/or of the family members of such an applicant reside outside Delhi. The Filing Counter shall not refuse to accept a Bail Application merely because the same is not accompanied with a physically signed and attested vakalatnama of a person, who is in custody or not residing in Delhi.***

D. Apart from above change and addition of name of the abovementioned official, rest of the Orders No. 8427-8527/CB/Covid19 Lockdown/e-filing & VC hearings/2020 dated:04.05.2020 and Modification Order No. 8528-8638/CB/Covid19 Lockdown/e-filing & VC hearings/2020 dated:07.05.2020 shall operate as already stipulated therein.

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Dated:15.05.2020 (06:30pm)

Ref. No. 8981-9081/CB/Covid19 Lockdown/e-filing & VC hearings/2020 dated:15.05.2020
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