

From

Member Secretary,
Haryana State Legal Services Authority,
Institutional Plot No. 9, Sector-14,
Panchkula (Haryana).

To

- 1 All the District & Sessions Judges-cum-Chairpersons,
District Legal Services Authorities in the State of Haryana.
2. All the Chief Judicial Magistrates-cum-Secretaries,
District Legal Services Authorities in the State of Haryana.
3. All the Additional Civil Judges (Senior-most)
Civil Judges (Junior Division)-cum-Chairpersons,
Sub Divisional Legal Services Committees in the State of Haryana.

No. 13295-373/LA-III/2024/MS/HALSA
Dated, Panchkula, the 26/12/2024

Subject: National Lok Adalat Schedule - 2025.

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter No.L/34/2018-NALSA dated 14.11.2024 received from the Ld. Director, NALSA, New Delhi vide which it has been informed that Hon'ble Executive Chairman, NALSA, has approved a schedule for National Lok Adalats on all the subject matters to be held in the year 2025 which is as under:-

Sr. No.	Dates for NLA
1 st National Lok Adalat	08/03/2025
2 nd National Lok Adalat	10/05/2025
3 rd National Lok Adalat	13/09/2025
4 th National Lok Adalat	13/12/2025

In view of the above, as approved by Hon'ble Executive Chairman, you are requested to take following steps:-

1. Efforts be made to dispose of maximum number of cases in the National Lok Adalats as per direction of NALSA.
2. The task of identifying suitable cases of specified category be undertaken in all earnestness as it would be a purposeless exercise if large numbers of cases are referred for the Lok Adalat and only a small number actually get


settled. Careful selection of old matters is must. Appropriate new cases should also be referred to and must be taken up in the National Lok Adalats.

3. Orthopedics and other Doctors may be included as members or their assistance in other appropriate manner may be taken by the MACT Benches constituted in the National Lok Adalats.
4. That it may be useful to have pre-sitting discussions with the parties, so that parties have time to reach at a settlement. For this, the parties may be issued notices and called for the pre-Lok Adalat conciliation sittings.
5. That adequate publicity must be ensured for the holding of the National Lok Adalats, so that parties could themselves approach the SLSA/DLSA/TLSC for getting their matter referred to the Lok Adalat. All the District Legal Services Authorities shall give wide publicity about the National Lok Adalats in their respective district, where large number of persons congregate.
6. After identifying the cases for reference to the Lok Adalats, cause lists may be got prepared. Benches be constituted and notified through notice boards and websites. The number of Benches be limited to the actual requirement for disposing of the cases listed for settlement before the National Lok Adalats. While constituting Bench/Benches the actual workload and Jurisdiction qua the subject matter be kept in view.
7. That efforts must be made by the referral Judges to send appropriate specified matters to the National Lok Adalats for settlement. The Secretaries and the Chairpersons of the DLSAs and SDLSCs should discuss the issue with the Bar, so as to remove all doubts and misgivings in their minds and encourage their wholehearted participation in the National Lok Adalats.
8. To hold meetings with the concerned officials of Local Administration to convey the message of National Lok Adalat and ensure publicity of this campaign.
9. Publicity of National Lok Adalats be made through Community Radios, Doordarshan and All India Radio and other radio stations covering Haryana.

10. All the Courts and DLSAs to use the Lok Adalats Module of CIS 3.0 for the National Lok Adalats and to ensure feeding of disposal of cases in the National Lok Adalats on the NALSA's Portal.
11. To hold the National Lok Adalats by adopting any of the modes such as E/Virtual Lok Adalats, physical mode (conventional way) Lok Adalats, keeping in view the local scenario including guidelines issued by Health Authorities from time to time.
12. Maximum number of Pre-Lok Adalats be held in order to identify and settle maximum number of cases in National Lok Adalat.
13. In case, the parties arrive at a settlement during Pre-Lok Adalat sittings and pre-counselling sessions, then, the settlement may be recorded then and there, and the same be put up for passing award on the day of National Lok Adalat.
14. Issuance of notices must be planned in such a manner that dates for Pre-Lok Adalat sittings/pre-counselling be mentioned on notice itself.
15. The insurance companies, banks and financial institutions must be asked to depute Nodal Officers for each district or Court Complex-wise and his/her mobile number and e-mail Ids must be shared with DLSAs and TLSCs.
16. The NALSA (Lok Adalat) Regulation, 2009 also be observed besides aforesaid instructions.
17. To intimate total number of benches constituted and cases identified category wise (Pending as well as Pre-litigative) **five days** before the National Lok Adalat so that this Authority may forward the compiled information to NALSA.

This is for your kind information and necessary action, please.

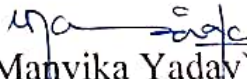
Encls:- As above


(Manvika Yadav) 26/12/24
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Endst. No. 13378-13398 (LA-III/2024/MS/HALSA dated, Panchkula the 26/12/2024)

A copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana, Revenue Department, Haryana, Chandigarh.
2. The Director General of Police, Haryana, Sector-6, Panchkula.
3. The President, Debt Recovery Tribunal, Chandigarh (Haryana Jurisdiction).
4. The Registrar, State Dispute Redressal Commission Haryana, Sector-4, Panchkula with a request to hold National Lok Adalats as per guidelines issued by this Authority vide letter No. 1861-1929(Sal-1)2023/HSLSA dated 24.05.2023 (copy attached).
5. All the President, District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commissions in the State of Haryana with a request to hold National Lok Adalats as per guidelines issued by this Authority vide letter No. 1861-1929(Sal-1)2023/HSLSA dated 24.5.2023 (copy attached).
6. All the Chairpersons, Permanent Lok Adalats (PUS) in the State of Haryana with a request to hold National Lok Adalats as per guidelines issued by this Authority vide letter No. 1861-1929(Sal-1)2023/HSLSA dated 24.5.2023 (copy attached).
7. All the Ld. Presiding Officers, Labour Courts in the State of Haryana with a request to hold National Lok Adalats as per guidelines issued by this Authority vide letter No. 1861-1929(Sal-1)2023/HSLSA dated 24.5.2023 (copy attached).


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