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<u>1247 Cases Settled in Lok Adalat held in Udhampur</u> <u>An amount of Rs 9644909/- Were realized in different cases settled on spot</u>

Udhampur Jan 11: In Compliance to the directions of Jammu & Kashmir Legal Services Authority, a National Lok Adalat was organized by District Legal Services Authority Udhampur today on 11-02-2023, under the directions of Chairman District Legal Services Authority Udhampur, Mr. Haq Nawaz Zargar (Pr. District & Sessions Judge Udhampur).

A total number of **06** benches were constituted in the District, **Bench No. 1** Comprised of Mr. Haq Nawaz Zargar (Pr. District & Sessions Judge) Udhampur, Mr. Dinesh Gupta, Addl. Distt. & Sessions Judge, Udhampur & Adv. Mohd. Shaffi Udhampur; **Bench no. 2** Comprised of Mr. Manoj Parihar, Chief Judicial Magistrate, Udhampur, Mr. Vishal Bharti, District Mobile Magistrate (T), Udhampur & Mr. J.D. Slathia, President Bar Association Udhampur; **Bench no. 3** comprised of Mr. Slahuddin Ahmed, Sub-Judge/Special Mobile Magistrate, Udhampur, Ms. Bhanu Bhasin, Additional Special Mobile Magistrate, Udhampur & Adv. Ms. Vijay Lakshmi Udhampur; **Bench no. 4** Comprised of Ms. Samriti Sharma (Chairman TLSC) Ramnagar & Adv. K.D. Sharma, Ramnagar; **Bench no. 5** comprised of Ms. Madhu Sharma, (Chariman TLSC) Majalta & Adv. Mr. Mohan Lal

Gupta (Panel Lawyer) Majalta; **Bench No. 6** Comprised of Ms. Rekha Sharma, (Munsiff JMIC) Chenani & Adv. Mr. Balwan Singh (Panel Lawyer) Chenani. A total **1447**cases of different nature were taken up, out of which **1247**cases were settled on spot. The total Amount recovered is **Rs. 9644909/-** is realized in different cases settled on spot. An amount of **Rs. 7665000/-** were awarded as compensation in MACT Cases While rupees **Rs. 35200/-** realized in various compoundable cases.