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Office of the Principal District & Sessions Judge, Muzaffarpur

General Order No. 228 / 2026

The Hon'ble High Court, Patna have been pleased to communicate a copy of Bihar Gazette (Extraordinary) Notification No. 693 dated 30.06.2026, which is the Bihar Civil Court Act, 2026 vide Letter No. 62130-66/File No. XII-05-2016/A.D. (Rules) dated 09.07.2026, by which the local limits of jurisdiction of Courts has been notified, inter alia as follows :

" **14. Extent of Jurisdiction of Civil Judge -**

(1) Save as aforesaid and subject to the provisions of sub-section (3), **the jurisdiction of a Civil Judge (Junior Division) shall extend to all like suits of which the value does not exceed Ten Lakh Rupees.**

(2) Save as aforesaid and subject to the provisions of sub-section (3), **the jurisdiction of a Civil Judge (Senior Division) shall extend to all suits exceeding the value Ten Lakh Rupees.**

(3) The High Court, may direct, by notification in the Official Gazette, with respect to any Civil Judge (Junior Division) named therein that his jurisdiction shall extend to all suits of such value not exceeding Fifty lakh Rupees as may be specified in the notification.

15. Appeal from the Judgments and Orders of the District Judges-

Save as otherwise provided by any enactment for the time being in force, an appeal from a decree or order of District Judge shall lie to the High Court.

16. Appeals from the orders or Decrees of Civil Judges.-

(1) Save as aforesaid, an appeal from a decree or order of a Civil Judges shall lie

(a) **to the Principal District Judge where the value of the original suit in which or any proceedings arising out of which the decree or order was made was less than Fifty lakh Rupees** ; and

(b) to the High Court in any other case; provided that the High Court may by notification in the Official Gazette, alter or amend the pecuniary jurisdiction as fixed herein, from time to time.

(2) Where the function of receiving any appeals which lie to the Principal District Judge under sub-section (1) has been assigned to a District Judge, the appeals may be preferred to the District Judge."

In light of the said Bihar Gazette (Extraordinary) Notification, as well as in light of Hon'ble Courts above mentioned letter, all Courts of District Judges, Muzaffarpur, all Courts of Civil Judges, (Senior Division), Muzaffarpur (East), all Courts of Civil Judges, (Senior Division), Muzaffarpur (West), all Courts of Civil Judges, (Junior Division), Muzaffarpur (East) and all Courts of Civil Judges, (Junior Division), Muzaffarpur (West) are hereby requested to function as per aforementioned local limits of pecuniary jurisdiction of their respective Courts, accordingly.

Let a copy of this order alongwith a copy of Bihar Gazette (Extraordinary) Notification No. 693 dated 30.06.2026 be communicated to the District Magistrate, Muzaffarpur for its publication in the District Gazette.

System Officer is directed to publish a copy of this order on official website of District Court, Muzaffarpur.

Inform all concerned.

Principal District & Sessions Judge
Muzaffarpur
24-07-2026

Memo No. 5539-5628/E
dated 24.07.2026