

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY  
JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

No. 544 /JD/A/2023

Puducherry, dt. 15.04.2023

**PROCEEDINGS**

Sub: Judicial Department, Puducherry – In view of the reports citing gradual rise in COVID-19 positive cases – Instructions issued by the Hon'ble High Court, Madras – Communicated – Reg.

Ref: Official Memorandum R.O.C. No. 38124-A / 2023 / COVID-Sub.Courts / C3, dated 14.04.2023 of the Hon'ble High Court, Madras.

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In pursuance of the orders of the Hon'ble High Court, Madras, the following directions are issued, in view of the reports citing gradual rise in COVID-19 positive cases:

- 1) All the Judicial Officers, Staff Members, Advocates, Litigants, Parties-in-person, Advocate Clerks and all concerned, entering into the Court Halls and Court premises are advised to compulsorily wear face mask, maintain social distancing and wash their hands frequently.
- 2) The Head of Office, District Court, Puducherry shall take all necessary steps to sanitize the Court Halls, Chambers, Sections and the entire Court premises.
- 3) The Head of Office, District Court, Puducherry shall make arrangements to provide hand sanitizers in the important places, particularly at the Entrance of Court Complex, entrance of Court Halls, Chambers, Sections, etc.,

The above said instructions of the Hon'ble High Court, Madras, shall be scrupulously followed for the smooth functioning of the Courts, without compromising on the COVID-19 safety protocols.

Sd/-  
(J. SELVANADHAN)  
CHIEF JUDGE  
PUDUCHERRY

To

- (1) All the Judicial Officers, U.T. of Puducherry
- (2) All Heads of Office, U.T of Puducherry
- (3) The President / Secretary, Bar Associations, U.T. of Puducherry