OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE
NEW DELHI DISTRICT, PATIALA HOUSE COURT, NEW DELHI

ORDER

In supersession of earlier order(s) of this office, the following Committees at New Delhi District, Patiala House Court Complex, New Delhi, are hereby re-constituted, consisting of the following Ld. Judicial Officers / Members, with immediate effect.

S. No.	Name of the Committee(s)	Names of the Judicial Officers/members	Branch to dealt with
1	**Chamber Committee**	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)**	General Branch
		Sh. Bhupesh Kumar, Principal Judge, Family Court **(Member)**	
		Sh. Saurabh Partap Singh Laler, ASJ-03 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Siddhant Sihag, ACJM-2 **(Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	
2	**Under Trial Review Committee**	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)**	NDDLSA
		The Secretary, NDDLSA **(Ex. Officio)**	
		DCP(NDD/South-West/West) **(Ex. Officio)**	
		District Magistrate, NDD **(Ex. Officio)**	
		Chief Public Prosecutor, NDD **(Member)**	
3	**Witness Protection Committee** (in pursuance of directions contained in letter No.169-179/ DHC/Gaz./G-2/Judgment/2019 dated 15/01/2019 of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi and in Writ Petition (Criminal) No. 156/2016 titled as Mahender Chawla & Ors. Vs. Union of India & Ors. Dated 05.12.2018)	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)**	Prosecution Branch
		Deputy Commissioner of Police of the concerned district (as per police station) **(Member)**	
		Chief Public Prosecutor, NDD **(Member)**	
4	**District Court Vulnerable Witness Deposition Court Rooms Monitoring Committee (VWDCMC)**	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)**	VWDC

	(in pursuance of directions contained in letter no. 309-12/Rules/DHC/2022 dated 15.03.2022)	Ms. Prabh Deep Kaur, ASJ(POCSO)-06 **(Member)** Ms. Deepti Devesh, ASJ(SFTC) **(Member)** Ms. Sonam Singh – I, ASJ (POCSO)-07 **(Member)**	
5	**i) Committee for redressal of concerns of Members of the Bar Association at the District &** **ii) for welfare of Judicial Officers**	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)** Dr. Pankaj Sharma, ADJ-02 & Wakf Tribunal **(Member)** The Administrative Civil Judge **(Ex. Officio)** The President, New Delhi Bar Association **(Ex-officio)** Hon'y Secretary, New Delhi Bar Association **(Ex-officio)** Nominee of the Bar Council of New Delhi District **(Member)**	i) Vigilance & Litigation Branch ii) Judicial Branch
6	**Grievance Redressal Committee** (For Advocates)	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)** Sh. Saurabh Partap Singh Laler, ASJ-03 **(Member)** Sh. Dharmender Rana, DJ-01 **(Member)** Dr. Pankaj Sharma, ADJ-02 & Wakf Tribunal **(Member)** The President, NDBA **(Member)**	General Branch
7	**Committee for implementation of guidelines issued by Hon'ble Supreme Court of India** in Case of 'Gohar Mohammad Vs. Uttar Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation & Ors.' in Civil Appeal No. 9322/2022, FAO No. 3303/2018	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)** Dr. Abhilash Malhotra PO-MACT-02 **(Member)** Dr. Shirish Aggarwal, PO-MACT-01 **(Member)** The Secretary, NDDLSA **(Member)**	Reader(s) in the Court of PO(MACT)
8	**Committee for the engagement/ selection of Law Researcher for District Judge (Commercial Courts)**	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)** Principal Judge, Family Courts, NDD **(Member)** The District Judge, Commercial Court (Senior most) **(Member)**	General Branch

9	**Vigilance Committee**	Sh. Bhupesh Kumar, Principal Judge, Family Court **(Chairperson)**	Vigilance Branch
		Ms. Aparna Swami, DJ-04 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Siddhant Sihag, ACJM-02 **(Member)**	
10	**Committee for monitoring the fixed deposits**	Ms. Gurmohina Kaur, Judge In-Charge, Mediation Centre **(Chairperson)**	General Branch
		Ms. Medha Arya, JSCC-ASCJ-GJ **(Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	
		Sh. Aridaman Singh Cheema, JMFC-03 **(Member)**	
11	**Sub-Committee to work out the modalities for introduction of pass system at Patiala House Courts Complex** (This Committee shall function in consultation with Chairperson, BMC, NDD)	Ms. Aparna Swami, DJ-04 **(Chairperson)**	General Branch
		Sh. Shankar Narayanan, ASJ (POCSO) - 01 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Animesh Bhaskar Mani Tripathi, ACJM-01 **(Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	
12	**i) Study Circle Committee** **&** **ii) Hindi Implementation Committee**	Ms. Aparna Swami, DJ-04 **(Chairperson)**	i) Library Branch
		Ms. Meenu Kaushik, DJ-03 **(Member)**	
		Ms. Medha Arya, JSCC-ASCJ-GJ **(Member)**	ii) Hindi Section
		Sh. Kautuk Bhardwaj, JMFC-06 **(Member)**	
13	**Library Committee**	Ms. Meenu Kaushik, DJ-03 **(Chairperson)**	Library Branch
		Ms. Deepti Devesh, ASJ (SFTC) **(Member)**	
		Sh. Vaibhav Pratap Singh, CJ-01 **(Member)**	
14	**Committee on Gender Sensitisation and for Prevention, Prohibition & Redressal of Complaints of Sexual Harassment against**	Ms. Deepali Sharma, DJ (Comm.)-03 **(Chairperson)**	Vigilance Branch
		Ms. Tabassum Khan, JMFC (Mahila Court)-02 **(Member)**	

	Women and Transgender persons.	Ms. Anjali Singh, JMFC (NI Act) - 03 **(Member)** Ms. Jahanvi Worah, Legal Retainer of S.E.W.A (Self employed Women Association) **(Member)** Sh. Manish Kumar, JA, e-Sewa Kendra, PHC, New Delhi **(Member)**	
15	**Condemnation Board & Stock-taking & marketing of furniture**	Ms. Meenu Kaushik, DJ-03 **(Chairperson)** Sh. Siddhant Sihag, ACJM-2 **(Member)** Ms. Medha Arya, JSCC-ASCJ-GJ **(Member)** The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	Care Taking Branch
16	**Computer Committee**	Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Chairperson)** Dr. Abhilash Malhotra PO-MACT-02 **(Member)** Sh. Mridul Gupta, CJM **(Member)** Sh. Animesh Bhaskar Mani Tripathi, ACJM-01 **(Member)**	Computer Branch
17	**Committee for Appointment of Oath Commissioner & Committee for Appointment of Court Auctioneers**	Ms. Deepali Sharma, DJ (Comm.)-03 **(Chairperson)** Sh. Syed Zishan Ali Warsi, ASJ-02 **(Member)** Sh. Siddhant Sihag, ACJM-02 **(Member)** Ms. Vijayshree Rathore, JMFC-05 **(Member)**	General Branch
18	**Committee for removal of discrepancies in the quarterly report.** (filed in compliance with the directions given in Judgment dated 10.09.2014 of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in Crl. M.C. 4485/2013-Manjit Singh Vs. State)	Sh. Ashutosh Kumar, DJ (Comm.) - 02 **(Chairperson)** Sh. Syed Zishan Ali Warsi, ASJ-02 **(Member)** Sh. Mridul Gupta, CJM **(Member)** Deputy Commissioner of Police, NDD **(Member)**	General Branch
19	**Sub-Committee for assessment of Support Persons for aiding Vulnerable Witnesses**	Ms. Sonam Singh-I, ASJ (POCSO)-07 (Now in RACC) **(Chairperson)** Ms. Neelam Narang, Addl. PP/RCC, Incharge from DCW **(Member)**	VWDC Branch

		Deputy Commissioner of Police, NDD **(Member)**	
		The Secretary, NDDLSA **(Member)**	
20	**Grievance Redressal Committee** (to look into the complaints of staff, litigants and public persons & to look into the request and suggestions of all the employees of New Delhi District)	Sh. Dharmender Rana, DJ-01 **(Chairperson)**	Administration Branch
		Dr. Abhilash Malhotra, PO(MACT)-02 **(Member)**	
		Ms. Medha Arya, JSCC-ASCJ-GJ **(Member)**	
		Sh. Aridaman Singh Cheema, JMFC-03 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Kautuk Bhardwaj, JMFC-06 **(Member)**	
21	**i) Building Maintenance Committees &** **ii) Committee for overall supervision of CCTV Cameras and High Mast Lights installed in PHC &** **iii) Sub-Committee to monitor installation of CCTV inside the courts at PHC &** **iv) Committee for House Keeping to monitor the upkeep & cleanliness of court complex &** **v) Kiosks Committee &** **vi) Staff Canteen Committee & vii) Environment Committee &** **viii) Sub-committee to monitor issues related to proper hygiene in and around female washrooms in NDD &**	Sh. Saurabh Partap Singh Laler, ASJ-03 **(Chairperson)**	Care Taking Branch
		Ms. Aparna Swami, DJ - 04 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Member)**	
		Dr. Abhilash Malhotra, PO-MACT-02 **(Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	
22	**Purchase Committee & Sub-committee (of Purchase Committee) to deal with the issues related to outsourcing of Housekeeping staff for cleaning of the office and public utility areas in Patiala House Court Complex through GeM Portal.** (In compliance with the letter No.F.27/5/2011-judl./suptlaw/717 dated 13.07.2020 of the GNCT of Delhi, Department of	Ms. Aparna Swami, DJ - 04 **(Chairperson)**	Purchase Cell
		Ms. Gurmohina Kaur, Judge In-Charge, Mediation **(Member)**	
		Sh. Animesh Bhaskar Mani Tripathi, ACJM-01 **(Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	
		Drawing & Disbursing Officer (DDO), New Delhi District **(Member)**	

	Law, Justice & LA) This committee shall submit its report to the Chairperson, Purchase committee, NDD, PHC		
23	**Committee for monitoring the work of weeding out of Record Identification of files for weeding**	Dr. Pankaj Sharma, DJ-02 & Wakf Tribunal **(Chairperson)**	Record Room(s)
		Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Vaibhav Pratap Singh, CJ-01 **(Member)**	
		Branch Incharge(s), Record Rooms **(Member)**	
24	**Committee for monitoring and ensuring the targeted Digitization / Scanning (New Delhi District)**	Dr. Pankaj Sharma, DJ-02 & Wakf Tribunal **(Chairperson)**	Record Room & Digitization
		Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Animesh Bhaskar Mani Tripathi, ACJM-01 **(Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	
25	**District Victim Compensation Committee**	Ms. Deepti Devesh, ASJ (SFTC) **(Chairperson)**	NDDLSA
		The Secretary, NDDLSA **(Member)**	
		The Chief Public Prosecutor **(Ex. Officio)**	
26	**Committee for e-Sewa Kendra**	Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Chairperson)**	e-Sewa Kendra
		Dr. Abhilash Malhotra, PO-MACT-02 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Mridul Gupta, CJM **(Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	
27	**Committee for identification, digitization and preservation of cases having historical/ public importance**	Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Chairperson)**	Record Room(s)
		Ms. Charan Salwan, JMFC-01 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Bhavaya Karhail, JMFC-07 **(Member)**	
28	**Accessibility Committee** (as per directions of Hon'ble the Information Technology	Dr. Abhilash Malhotra PO-MACT-02 **(Chairperson)**	e-Sewa Kendra
		Sh. Mayank Goel, SCJ-RC **(Member)**	

	Committee & Accessibility Committee of High Court of Delhi vide MOM dated 14.08.2023 & as conveyed in the SOPs for preparing accessible Court Documents, issued by Hon'ble e-committee, Supreme Court of India)	Sh. Animesh Bhaskar Mani Tripathi, ACJM-01 **(Member)** Hon'y Secretary, New Delhi Bar Association **(Member)** District System Administrator/ System Administrator **(Member)**	
29	**Committee to monitor/ observe the reasons for delay of cases pending for more than 2 years**	Ms. Prabh Deep Kaur, ASJ (POCSO)-06 **(Chairperson)** Sh. Mridul Gupta, CJM **(Member)** Sh. Mayank Goel, SCJ-RC **(Member)**	Judicial Branch
30	**Committee to comply with the directions passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the matter titled as "Satender Kumar Antil Vs. CBI" SLP Crl. No. 5191/2021**	Sh. Saurabh Partap Singh Laler, ASJ-03 **(Chairperson)** Ms. Gomati Manocha, ASJ-04 **(Member)** Sh. Syed Zishan Ali Warsi, ASJ-02 **(Member)**	Judicial Branch
31	**District Case Management Committee**	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)** Ms. Deepali Sharma, DJ (Comm.)-03 **(Member)** Sh. Devender Kumar Garg, Judge, Family Court **(Member)** Sh. Mridul Gupta, CJM **(Member)** Ms. Charan Salwan, JMFC-01 **(Member)** Sh. Kumar Rahul, Secretary, NDDLSA **(Member)**	Judicial Branch
32	**Sports Committee**	Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Chairperson)** Dr. Abhilash Malhotra PO-MACT-02 **(Member)** Sh. Siddhant Sihag, ACJM - 02 **(Member)** Ms. Medha Arya, JSCC-ASCJ-GJ **(Member)** The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)**	Care Taking Branch
33	**Arrears Committee** (with reference to the pendency	Ms. Deepali Sharma, DJ (Comm.)-03 **(Chairperson)**	Judicial Branch

	and arrears of cases at New Delhi District) Review Sub-Committee	Ms. Meenu Kaushik, DJ-03 **(Member)** Sh. Mridul Gupta, CJM **(Member)** Sh. Vaibhav Pratap Singh, CJ-01 **(Member)** Ms. Vanshika Mehta, JMFC (NI Act)-04 **(Member)**	
34	**Committee to ensure proper cleanliness in the Patiala House Courts Complex including the toilet blocks.** (in pursuance of directions contained in the Minutes of meeting dated 01.10.2013 of Building Maintenance and Construction Committee (Patiala House Court Complex)	Sh. Dharmender Rana, DJ-01 **(Chairperson)** Ms. Aparna Swarmi, DJ-04 **(Member)** Sh. Santanu Ghosh, Sr. Member Executive, NDBA **(Member)** Ms. Manpreet Bhalla, Sr. Lady Member Executive, NDBA **(Member)**	Care Taking Branch
35	**i)Security & Fire Safety Committee &** **ii)Disaster Management Committee**	Sh. Saurabh Partap Singh Laler, ASJ-03 **(Chairperson)** Ms. Aparna Swarmi, DJ-04 **(Member)** Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Member)** Dr. Abhilash Malhotra, PO-MACT-02 **(Member)** The Administrative Civil Judge **(Member)** DCP, New Delhi District **(Ex-officio Member)** SDM, DDMA, New Delhi District **(Ex-officio Member)** ACP (Courts Security), PHC **(Ex-officio Member)**	i) Care Taking Branch ii) Record Room (Civil)
36	***Committee to felicitate the Staff members of New Delhi District on achievements and superannuation.***	Sh. Saurabh Partap Singh Laler, ASJ-03 **(Chairperson)** Ms. Aparna Swarmi, DJ-04 **(Member)** The Administrative Civil Judge **Member (Ex-Officio)** Sh. Arvind Kumar, JJA (Vice President, New Delhi, DCEWA) **(Member)**	Care-Taking Branch
37	***Coordination Committee of Judicial Officers & New Delhi Bar Association.***	The Principal District & Sessions Judge **(Chairperson)**	Judicial Branch

		Sh. Syed Zishan Ali Warsi, ASJ - 02 **(Member)**	
		Dr. Pankaj Sharma, DJ-02 & Wakf Tribunal (**Member)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Ex-officio)**	
		The President, New Delhi Bar Association **(Ex-officio)**	
		Hony Secretary, New Delhi Bar Association **(Ex-officio)**	
		Nominated member by the President and Hony. Secretary, New Delhi Bar Association **(Member)**	
38	**Coordination Committee of Police Officials, Judicial Officers & New Delhi Bar Association.**	The Principal District & Sessions Judge (**Chairperson)**	General Branch
		Sh. Saurabh Partap Singh Laler, ASJ-03 **(Member)**	
		Sh. Dhirendra Rana, ASJ-05 **(Member)**	
		The Chief Judicial Magistrate **(Ex-officio)**	
		The Administrative Civil Judge **(Ex-officio)**	
		The President, New Delhi Bar Association **(Ex-officio)**	
		Hony Secretary, New Delhi Bar Association **(Ex-officio)**	
		Nominated member by the President and Hony. Secretary, New Delhi Bar Association **(Member)**	
		Sh. Ravinder Ahlawat, ACP/PG/NDD **(Nodal Officer, NDD/Member)**	
		Sh. Ravinder Tomar, Insp. Vigilance **(Nodal Officer, NDD/Member)**	
		Sh. Vijay Kumar, ACP/PG/SWD **(Nodal Officer, SWD/Member)**	
		Sh. Bharat Singh, Insp./Vigilance **(Nodal Officer, SWD/Member)**	
		Sh. Devender Kumar, ACP/PG/WD **(Nodal Officer, West/Member)**	
		Inst. Santosh Kumar, Insp. Vigilance **(Nodal Officer, West/Member)**	

Note:-

1. If the Chairperson of the Committee is not available for any reason, the next senior most member of the concerned Committee shall act as Chairperson of the said committee.
2. Minutes of the Meetings are to be recorded by Sr. P.A/P.A. attached with the Chairperson/Members of the concerned Committee.
3. All the Correspondences with the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi, New Delhi and other Principal District & Sessions Judge(s) shall be done only by the undersigned.
4. Decisions taken by a Committee (where the Committee is not chaired by the undersigned) shall be subject to the approval of the undersigned.
5. Each of such Committees shall submit monthly reports of the status of matters pertaining to it to the O/o the undersigned by the end of the first week of the following month.
6. Whenever required, the Chairperson of the Committee shall co-ordinate with the Chairperson(s) of other Committee(s), so that there is always a proper cohesion.
7. After grant of approval to the minutes of the meeting by the undersigned, consequential action, including issuance of all necessary communications(s)/Order(s) and follow-up, shall be undertaken by the Officer-In-Charge through concerned Branch.

5/5/2026

(Pitamber Dutt)
Principal District & Sessions Judge
New Delhi District, Patiala House Court, ND

No. 7808-888/Judl./Committee/Pr.D&SJ/NDD/PHC/2026 Dated : 05/5/2026

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1. The Worthy Registrar General, Hon'ble High Court of Delhi, New Delhi.
2. The Ld. Principal District & Sessions Judge (HQs), Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi.
3. The Ld. Principal Judge & Judge, Family Court, New Delhi District, PHC, ND.
4. The Ld. Judge-In-Charge, Mediation Centre, New Delhi District, PHC, ND.
5. All the Ld. Judicial Officers, New Delhi District, PHC, ND.
6. The Chief Public Prosecutor, New Delhi District, PHC, ND.
7. The President & Hony. Secretary, NDBA, New Delhi District, PHC, ND.
8. The DCPs concerned, NDD & other concerned Districts.
9. All the Chairpersons/Members concerned.
10. All the Branch In-Charges concerned, New Delhi District, PHC, ND.
11. The Superintendent, NDDLSA, New Delhi District, PHC, ND.
12. Personal Office of the undersigned.
13. Dealing Official, Computer Branch, NDD to upload the same on the website & LAYERS.
14. The Care Taker, NDD to display this order on the notice boards.

5/5/26

Principal District & Sessions Judge
New Delhi District, Patiala House Court, ND