## GIRISH KATHPALIA





## HIGH COURT OF DELHI

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No. 87 - 99 /RG/DHC/CJS
Dated: 1' April, 2017

To,

Ms. Asha Menon,
District & Sessions Judge (South)
Saket Courts, Delhi.

Madam,

I am directed to inform you that Hon'ble the Chief Justice of India, vide letter dated 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2017, has been pleased to amend the Guidelines, which were earlier issued by Hon'ble the then Chief Justice of India vide letter dated 3.10.2014, in order to further achieve the objective of the Guidelines. The amended Guidelines are as under:

- "Ä. The complaint making allegations against members of the Subordinate Judiciary in the States should not be entertained and no action should be taken thereon, unless it is accompanied by a duly sworn affidavit and/or verifiable material to substantiate the allegations made therein.
- B. If action on such complaint meeting the above requirement is deemed necessary, authenticity of the complaint should be duly ascertained and further steps thereon should be taken only after satisfaction of the competent authority designated by the Chief Justice of the High Court.
- C. If the above requirements are not complied with, the complaint should be filed/lodged without taking any steps thereon."

I am further directed to inform you that in conformity with the objective of the Guidelines, Hon'ble the Chief Justice of this Court has been pleased to order that contents of the amended Guidelines be circulated amongst the Judicial Officers under your jurisdiction; upload the Guidelines on the District Court Website and also to take steps to display the Guidelines on the notice boards of the District Court and the Bar Association. You are requested accordingly,

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

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