**OFFICE OF THE JUDGE IN-CHARGE, SAKET MEDIATION CENTRE, SAKET COURTS, NEW DELHI**

14/14/SMG/Mediation Centre/SCC/2026, Delhi **Dated:-09th January, 2026**

To,

All the Ld. Judicial Officers,
South & South-East District,
Saket Courts, New Delhi.

1546-1696
14/01/26

**CIRCULAR**

A Mediation for Nation 2.0 campaign is being launched by Mediation & Conciliation Project Committee (MCPC), Supreme Court of India, across India w.e.f. 2nd January, 2026. Letter dated 28.11.2025 received from the MCPC in this regard is annexed with this circular as Annexure - A.

The direction with respect to identification of matters to be referred for mediation, as contained in the letter dated 28.11.2025 of MCPC, Supreme Court of India is as follows:

> **a. In principle approval is accorded for launch of 2nd Mediation for the Nation Drive w.e.f. 2 January 2026. The matters shall be identified till 31 January 2026. Assistance of members of Bar, Law Professors/Faculties and final year Law Students may be taken to identify the suitable cases. Identified cases shall be referred for the Mediation for Nation 2.0 for mediation within 90 days as per the High Court Mediation Rules.**

Accordingly, in view of letter dated 07.01.2026 received from the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi and letter dated 08.01.2026 received from the Ld. Judge In-Charge, Delhi Mediation Centre, Tis Hazari Courts, in terms of Annexure A as mentioned above, all the Ld. Judicial Officers are requested to identify suitable pending cases to be referred for mediation till 31.01.2026. Assistance of Members of Bar, Law Professors/Faculties and final year law students may be taken in this regard. Identified cases should be referred for Mediation for Nation Drive 2.0 within 90 days as per the High Court Mediation Rules.

This issues with the approval of Ld. Principal District and Sessions Judge, South District and Ld. Principal District and Sessions Judge, South-East District, Saket Courts, New Delhi.

**(Surya Malik Grover)**
Judge In-charge (Mediation)
Saket Court Complex, New Delhi.

_____/SMG/Mediation Centre/SCC/2026, Delhi **Dated:-09th January, 2026**

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. PS to the Ld. Principal District and Sessions Judge, South-District.
2. PS to the Ld. Principal District and Sessions Judge, South-East District.
3. Officer Incharge, Computer Branch, South District.
4. The Website Committee, South District, New Delhi to upload this circular.

**OFFICE OF THE JUDGE IN-CHARGE, DELHI MEDIATION CENTRE,**
**TIS HAZARI COURTS, DELHI**

No.25-29...../DMC/THC/Delhi 08th January, 2026

1. **Mr. Anurag Sain,**
   Ld. Judge Incharge, Mediation Centre,
   Karkardooma Courts, Delhi

2. **Mr. Vikas Dhull,**
   Ld. Judge Incharge, Mediation Centre,
   Rohini Courts, Delhi.

3. **Dr. Hardeep Kaur,**
   Ld. Judge Incharge, Mediation Centre,
   Dwarka Courts, New Delhi.

4. **Ms. Rajrani,**
   Ld. Judge Incharge, Mediation Centre,
   Patiala House Courts, New Delhi.

5. **Ms. Surya Malik Grover,**
   Ld. Judge Incharge, Mediation Centre,
   Saket Courts, New Delhi.

**Sub: Mediation for the Nation 2.0.**

Sir/Madam,

This is to kindly inform you that vide letter No. 45/DHC/Gaz/G-4/2026 dated 07.01.2026 (copy enclosed herewith) received by the undersigned from the Hon'ble Delhi High Court, the undersigned has been directed to comply with all the directions contained in the letter dated 28.11.2025 (enclosed herewith) issued by the Ld. Secretary, MCPC, Supreme Court of India.

The direction with respect to for identification of matters to be referred for mediation, as contained in the letter dated 28.11.2025 of MCPC, Supreme Court of India is as follows:-

> **a. In principle approval is accorded for launch of 2nd Mediation For The Nation Drive w.e.f. 2 January 2026. The matters shall be identified till 31 January 2026. Assistance of members of Bar, Law Professors/Faculties and final year Law Students may be taken to identify the suitable cases. Identified cases shall be referred for the Mediation for Nation 2.0 for mediation within 90 days per the High Court Mediation Rules.**

In view of the above, you are also directed to comply with all the directions including identification of matters to be referred for the Mediation for the Nation 2.0 as contained in the said letter dated 28.11.2025.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

(Anu Grover Baliga)
Judge In-charge,
Delhi Mediation Centre,
Tis Hazari Courts,
Delhi-110054.

# IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

No. 45 /DHC/Gaz/G-4/2026

From:

The Registrar General,
High Court of Delhi,
New Delhi.

To

The Principal District & Sessions Judge (HQs),
Tis Hazari Court.
Delhi

New Delhi, Dated, the 07, January, 2026

**Sub: Mediation for the Nation 2.0.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Court's letter No.6911/DHC/Gaz/G-4/2025 dated 15.12.2025 and once again forward herewith a copy of email/letters dated 28.11.2025 and 10.12.2025 received from Mr. Santosh Kumar, Secretary, MCPC, Supreme Court of India, on the above subject, and to request you to kindly ask the Judge In-charge, Delhi Mediation Centre, Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi, to comply all the directions including identification of matters to be referred for the Mediation for the Nation 2.0 as contained in the said letter dated 28.11.2025.

Yours faithfully

(Vinay Sharma)
Deputy Registrar (Gaz.IB)
For Registrar General

Encl: As above

MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION PROJECT COMMITTEE
(MCPC)

Mr. Santosh Kumar,
Registrar (Judicial-III),
Supreme Court of India
& Secretary, MCPC,
Supreme Court of India

Address:
Room No. 127, 1st Floor, B-Block,
New Additional Complex Building,
Supreme Court of India,
New Delhi-110001.

Telephone: 011-23115621

E-mail: mcpc@sci.nic.in

597/MCPC/2025

Date: 28th November, 2025

To

The Ld. Registrar General,
All the Hon'ble High Courts of India.

**Sub: Mediation for the Nation 2.0**

Respected Madam/Sir,

Your good self is well aware that the first mediation for the nation drive began on 1 July 2025 and it is continuing till last case referred in the drive is pending for mediation.

The preliminary data shows that about one lakh cases were settled. Some settlements may result in disposal of more than one matters as in those disputes many cases-counter cases are pending between the parties.

About six crore cases are pending in Indian Courts and cases related to matters as follows are most fit for mediation:

1. Matrimonial cases including DV Act cases and 498A IPC/85 BNS cases.
2. Cheque bounce cases
3. Accident claims case

4. Criminal Compoundable cases

5. Land Acquisition cases

6. Partition cases

7. Eviction Cases

8. Commercial Disputes

9. Suitable Service Matters cases

10. Labour Acts cases

11. Contract Act cases

12. Consumer Cases

13. Other suitable civil cases

During the first **Mediation for Nation** drive, data was called and received which shows that about 1.7 crore cases under aforesaid categories are pending in Indian Courts.

Given the Mediation success rate, more than 40 lakhs cases will result in settlement if all cases are referred for Mediation in one go. But, we don't have such number of mediators.

Rule 3(b) of the MCPC Mediation Rules 2015 provides for availing services of persons who are not mediators under exceptional circumstances as mediators. Besides, MCPC has recently imparted Mediation training to massive number of persons.

All the trained mediators including the recently trained ones as well as invoking rule 3(b) of MCPC Mediation Rules 2015 may provide us sufficient number of mediators in **Mediation for Nation 2.0**.

His lordship, Hon'ble Chairman MCPC has been pleased to view that before the commencement of 2nd drive, data in the format as below should be called for from all the High Courts of India for placing before his lordship :

**Format**

**Name of the High Court**

| Nature of Other suitable civil cases Case | No. of pending cases in District Courts + High Court | No. of mediator who can be deputed for cases under the category | No. of cases referred in First Mediation for Nation Drive | No. of cases settled in First Mediation for Nation Drive | No. of persons needed to conduct mediation under Rule 3(b) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Matrimonial cases including DV Act cases and 498A IPC/85 BNS cases. | | | | | |
| Cheque bounce cases | | | | | |
| Accident claims case | | | | | |
| Criminal Compundable cases | | | | | |
| Land Acquisition cases | | | | | |
| Partition cases | | | | | |
| Eviction Cases | | | | | |

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Commercial Disputes | | | | | | |
| Suitable Service Matters cases | | | | | | |
| Labour Acts cases | | | | | | |
| Contract Act cases | | | | | | |
| Consumer Cases | | | | | | |
| Other suitable civil cases | | | | | | |

His lordship, Hon'ble Chairman MCPC has been pleased to order that :

**a. In principle approval is accorded for launch of 2nd Mediation For The Nation Drive w.e.f 2 January 2026. The matters shall be identified till 31 January 2026. Assistance of members of Bar, Law Professors/Faculties and final year Law students may be taken to identify the suitable cases. Identified cases shall be referred for the Mediation for Nation 2.0 for mediation within 90 days as per the High Court Mediation Rules.**

**b. Secretary MCPC is directed to obtain data in aforesaid format by 24 December 2025 and place before Hon'ble Chairman, MCPC for and in connection with His Lordship's VC**

interaction with all the High Courts of India on date and time fixed by His Lordship.

Your good self is requested to place this letter before Hon'ble Chief Justice cum Patron in Chief of the SLSA, High Court Mediation Committee and Hon'ble Executive Chairman of the SLSA for their Lordship's kind perusal.

Further, your good self is requested to issue necessary directions for sending the data in the aforesaid format before **24th December 2025** to the dedicated E-Mail ID : med4nation.nalsamcpc@sci.nic.in for placing before Hon'ble Chairman, MCPC, Supreme Court of India.

With Regards,

Santosh Kumar
28/11/2025

Santosh Kumar,
Secretary, MCPC