

**OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT JUDGE, PRAYAGRAJ.**

**ADMIN. ORDER NO. 50**

**Dated : January 27, 2025**

**ORDER**

Vide Hon'ble High Court's Letter No. 1368/Admin. 'G-II' : Allahabad Dt. 24.01.2025, intimating following directions issued by Hon'ble High Court regarding cases pertaining to Enemy Properties, directions for communicating the same to all the Judicial Officers working under supervision and control of undersigned and ensure strict compliance of the same by all the concerned, has been provided.

II. While considering the large number of cases pertaining to 'Enemy Property' pending for adjudication in District Courts, Hon'ble High Court has been pleased to direct that all the provisions of "**Enemy Property (Amendment and Validation) Act, 2017**" be strictly complied with by all the Judicial Officers of the State. Hon'ble Court has further directed that the following provisions should be kept in mind:-

***Section 18B- "Exclusion of jurisdiction of civil courts". Save as otherwise provided in this Act, no civil court or authority shall have jurisdiction to entertain any suit or proceedings in respect of any property, subject matter of this Act, as amended by the Enemy Property (Amendment and Validation) Act, 2017", or any action taken by the Central Government or the Custodian in this regard.***

***Section 22A(c) No suit or other proceedings shall, without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing provisions, be maintained or continued in any court or tribunal or authority for the enforcement of any decree or order or direction given by such court or tribunal or authority directing divestment of enemy property from the Custodian vested in him under section 5 of this Act, as it stood before the commencement of the Enemy Property (Amendment and Validation) Act, 2017, and such enemy property shall continue to vest in the Custodian under section 5 of this Act, as amended by the aforesaid Act, as the said section, as amended by the aforesaid Act was in force at all material times.***

III. In compliance of the above directions issued by Hon'ble Court, following order is being passed with immediate effect for strict adherence and implementation with utmost sincerity :

(i). Hon'ble Court's aforementioned directions regarding cases pertaining to Enemy Properties, be communicated to all the Judicial Officers working under supervision and control of undersigned for strict compliance, in letter and spirit, without any slippage, so that cases pertaining to Enemy Properties are

not admitted by Civil Court Prayagraj in first place and the already pending cases are disposed of accordingly

(ii). The System Officer of District Court, Prayagraj is hereby directed to upload a copy of Hon'ble Court's aforementioned directions on the official website of District Court, Prayagraj for information and easy availability of the same, to all concerned.

(iii). The Additional District and Sessions Judge, Court No.1, Prayagraj, is directed to ensure that the directions so issued by Hon'ble court are being observed in compliance by all and sundry

Inform all the concerned for strict compliance.

  
(Santosh Rai)  
District Judge  
Prayagraj.

Dated : January , 2025