In view of direction contained in Civil Court rules no. 222 to 232 and Criminal Court Rules no. 147 to 155, in which preservation period and **destruction of record** has been defined, all Bail Petitions and Anticipatory Bail Petitions which were disposed off till December, 2022 by the various Courts of Sessions Divisions are to be destroyed. The litigants / Advocates who is willing to take any certified copy of the relevant document, order enclosed in the bail petition, are hereby requested to file an application regarding obtaining the certified copy within the period of three weeks from the date of issuance of this order.

Litigants / Advocates who have filed any original document in the decided Bail and Anticipatory Bail Petition are interested for returning the document, can apply an application to the office clerk of the concerned court who will obtain permission in this regard to their presiding officer for returning of such original document, whithin the period of three weeks from the date of issuance of this order. It no such application is received, the record of the case shall be liable to be destroyed and no claim whatsoever in respect thereof shall be entertained thereafter.

In view of Criminal Court rule no. 155, Head Record Keeper, Civil Court, Vaishali must be present at the time of destroying (by burning) of the above said disposal records.

It is further ordered that the bail petitions and anticipatory bail petitions which were disposed off by the various Special Courts and Exclusive Special Courts of Sessions Divisions which is arising out of Special Acts such as S.C. & S.T. acts, Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016 and its amended acts and POCSO Act etc. shall be tagged & merged with their original case records from which they originated and thereafter such bail records will be the part of original case records. The aforesaid records should not be destroyed.

Let a copy fo this order be sent to all the concerned office clerks of this Judgeship and Head Record Keeper, Civil Court, Vaishali for information and to ensure compliance of the direction and further a copy of this order be sent to the General Secretary, District BAR Association, Vaishali for information.

System Officer, Civil Court, Vaishali is hereby directed to upload a copy of this order on the website of District Court, Vaishali and further a copy of this order be pasted on the notice board for information to all Advocates. Advocates Clekrs and litigants.

Further, all the concerned Office Clerk posted in this Judgeship are hereby directed to send a compliance report to this effect to the office of undersigned within one month.

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Office of the District & Sessions Judge, Vaishali at Hajipur.

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Copy forwarded to the Record Keeper / Nazir / System Officer / all the Office Clerk / Secretary, District Bar Association, Vaishali at Hajipur for information and needful.

D.D.O., Civil Court, Hajipur. 29 -12-2022