

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE,
KAMAREDDY

Circular Dis.No.1748/2024

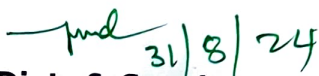
Dated 31.08.2024

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It is brought to the notice of the undersigned that in Under Trial Prisoners (UTPs) Cases, which are entrusted to Legal Aid Defence Counsel, copies of F.I.R, charge-sheet and other documents are not being furnished to them under acknowledgment. All the Judicial Officers are requested to see that copies of all the documents are supplied to accused in the presence of Legal Aid Defence Counsel under acknowledgment.

2. During interaction of the undersigned with the Remand Prisoners and Under Trial Prisoners (UTPs) virtually, it is noticed that most of the Remand Prisoners and Under Trial Prisoners (UTPs) were not defended by any Advocate because they have no means. All the Judicial Officers in the District are informed that whenever accused represented that he/she has no means to engage an Advocate, the case shall immediately be entrusted to the learned Legal Aid Defence Counsel of the concerned court without waiting for separate proceedings from the Chairman, District Legal Service Authority, Kamareddy because Legal Aid Defence Counsel were already appointed for different courts in the District with specific monthly remuneration.

3. It is brought to the notice of the undersigned that the courts are insisting for payment of requisite fee for certified copies of depositions, etc. from Remand Prisoners/Under Trial Prisoners (UTPs), who are defended by Legal Aid Defence Counsel. All the Judicial Officers are requested to direct the concerned staff to issue certified copies of depositions, etc. to Legal Aid Defence Counsel in respect of Under Trial Prisoners Cases free of cost on filing Memo.


Principal Dist. & Sessions Judge,
Kamareddy

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All the Judicial Officers of Kamareddy District Unit.