OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE:: LAKHIMPUR :: NORTH LAKHIMPUR::

Minutes of the Monthly Meeting held on 21-07-2026 at 05:00 p.m. in the chamber of District and Sessions Judge, Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur, as per Order dated 05-08-2013 passed in the WP (C) (Taken up) No. 4299 of 2006 vide Notification no. 52, dated 20-08-2013, of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court, Guwahati and adopted the following resolutions.

Present:

1. Smt. Poli Kataki, District and Sessions Judge, Lakhimpur.
2. Sri Pronab Jit Kakoty, District Magistrate, Lakhimpur.
3. Sri Abu Arif Khan, Addl. District and Sessions Judge (FTC), Lakhimpur.
4. Sri Gunendra Deka, Sr. Superintendent of Police, Lakhimpur.
5. Smt Sabeena Yasmeen, Secretary, DLSA, Lakhimpur.
6. Sri Dhrubajyoti Nath, Addl. Supdt. of Police (Crime), Lakhimpur, NL.

Agenda No. 1: Regarding allocation of plot of land for the construction of residential quarters of the ministerial staff of the Lakhimpur District Judiciary, North Lakhimpur.

Resolution: The District and Sessions Judge, Lakhimpur, raised the issue regarding the status for allocation of plot of land for the construction of residential quarters for the ministerial staff of the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur at North Lakhimpur.

In this regard, the District Magistrate, Lakhimpur, apprised that a suitable plot of land for the construction of residential quarters for the ministerial staff of the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur at North Lakhimpur would be allocated after the flood situation in Lakhimpur district normalizes.

Agenda No. 2: Issues relating to the investigation and trial.

Resolution: The members present in the meeting deliberated on various issues relating to investigation and trial. The Addl District and

Sessions Judge (FTC), Lakhimpur, highlighted the difficulty in summoning Medical Officers (MOs) and Investigation Officers (IOs) due to the incomplete addresses of the concerned Medical Officers and Investigation Officers. Further, the Secretary, DLSA, Lakhimpur, highlighted the provisions relating to plea bargaining under the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS).

In this regard, the Addl Supdt. of Police (Crime), Lakhimpur, informed that the Investigation Officers shall be instructed to furnish the complete permanent as well as the present addresses of the Medical Officers and Investigation Officers in the charge sheets and case diaries. Further, he clarified that the provision of plea bargaining is not being implemented; instead, the practice of recording a plea guilty is being followed.

The Addl Supdt. of Police (Crime), Lakhimpur, highlighted the issue regarding consumption of e-FIR and e-Chargesheet through the ICJS module, in which the Case Information System (CIS) consumes the uploaded pdf documents from the CCTNS server. In this regard, it is informed that presently the consumption of e-FIR and e-Chargesheet are being done regularly by the court staff deputed in the GR Branch as far as possible.

Agenda No. 3: Regarding mutation of land owned by the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur including Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate (M) Court Complex at Dhakuakhana.

Resolution: The District and Sessions Judge, Lakhimpur, raised the issue relating to the mutation of land owned by the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur including Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate (M) Court Complex at Dhakuakhana, in view of the relevant information sought by the Hon'ble Judicial Infrastruture Advisory Committee of the Supreme Court of India.

In this regard, the District Magistrate, Lakhimpur, apprised that the matter would be examined on priority basis, and that necessary instructions would be issued as applicable.

Agenda No. 4: Any other important matters:

The members present in the meeting reviewed the status of the following agenda items discussed in the previous meeting and noted that the issues had been resolved.

1. Disposal of NDPS articles in disposed of cases stored in the Malkhana of the PI office.
2. Non-supply of POL to the District Jail due to non payment of outstanding balance and thereby difficulty in physical production of Prisoners (UTP) from the District Jail, North Lakhimpur to Courts of the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur.
3. Requirement of a safe house/ One-stop centre for Juveniles in conflict with the law in the Lakhimpur district before they are transferred to a Specialized home or Children's home.

With these discussions, the meeting held today on 21.07.2026 is concluded with a vote of thanks from the Chairperson.

Smt. Poli Kataki, - Chairperson
District and Sessions Judge, Lakhimpur.

Sri Pronab Jit Kakoty. - Member
District Magistrate, Lakhimpur.

Sri Abu Arif Khan, - Special Invitee
Addl. District and Sessions Judge (FTC),
Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur.

Sri Gunendra Deka, - Member
Sr. Superintendent of Police, Lakhimpur.

Smt. Sabeena Yasmeen, - Special Invitee
Secretary,
District Legal Services Authority, Lakhimpur.

Sri Dhrubajyoti Nath. - Special Invitee
Addl. Supdt. of Police (Crime),
Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur.