Office of the District & Sessions Judge, Lakhisarai.

Order No. 98 (Misc.)/20 <u>Dated 13 -07-2020</u>

In view of Hon'ble Court's letter No. 30184-30220/A.D. (Misc.) Sec. dated 13-07-2020 whereby the Hon'ble Court have been pleased to resolve (interalia) as follows:-

"It is resolved in the wake of sudden surge in the number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in the State of Bihar, some of which are linked with different Civil Courts, that till further order, the Civil Courts in the State shall take up matters of release/remand in the Criminal matters only that too, through virtual mode, as far as it is possible. Virtual Court proceeding should held with, the learned Judicial Officers remaining at their respective residences and would not come to the Court premises for that purpose. Learned District Judges of the concerned Judgeship must ensure that there is no physical presence of any person within Court premises unless it is completely unavoidable."

Further, the Hon'ble the Chief Justice have also been pleased to resolved that "... considering the urgency the subordinate Judiciary be allowed to function in the manner proposed. Such arrangement be continued for at least one week."

As such, all the Courts of the Lakhisarai Judgeship including Court of R.J.M., Kiul and JJB, Lakhisarai are directed/requested to take up only matters of release/remand of their own Court (s)/ in-charge Court (s) or successor Court (s), if any in Criminal matters only and the same will be done only through virtual Court proceeding from respective residences of Judicial Officers till 20-07-2020 or any other direction / guide-line received from the Hon'ble Court.

Further, the Judge -in-charge / D.D.O. -cum- J.M. 1st class, Lakhisarai is directed to ensure strictly that there is no physical presence of any person within Court premises unless it is completely unavoidable.

Inform all concerned.

Sd/-District & Sessions Judge, Lakhisarai. 12 -07-2020. Memo no. 853 - 67 /20 dated 13 -07-2020

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1. All Courts and Offices, Lakhisarai including Railway Court, Kiul, Lakhisarai 2. The District Magistrate, Lakhisarai. 3. The Superintendent of Police, Lakhisarai. 4. The Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Lakhisarai. 5. The Superintendent of Jail, Lakhisarai 6. The Excise Superintendent, Lakhisarai. 7. The President, Bar Association, Lakhisarai. 8. The Secretary, Bar Association, Lakhisarai 9. Juvenile Justice Board, Lakhisarai 10. All Staffs (Class III & IV), Civil Court, Lakhisarai. 11. The Government Pleader, Lakhisarai. 12. The Public Prosecutor, Lakhisarai 13. The District Prosecution Officer, Lakhisarai. 14. In-charge Officer (Hazat), Lakhisarai. 15. The System Officer, Lakhisarai is directed to publish this order on the website of the Civil Court, Lakhisarai for information of all concerned.

for information and needful.

District & Sessions Judge, Lakhisarai. 13-07-2020.