



NATIONAL LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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Member Secretaries

All State Legal Services Authorities

Dear Sir/Madam,

The National Lok Adalats are being organized throughout the country every month during the year 2016 on a specified subject matter. As per the schedule sent by NALSA to all State Authorities during the month of January, 2016, all State Legal Services Authorities have been requested to hold monthly National Lok Adalat on a specified subject matter during the year 2016. In addition to monthly National Lok Adalats, the State Authorities are requested to hold one National Lok Adalat exclusively for all matters, both pre-litigation and pending, during the month of November/December, 2015.

2. In this connection, I would like to bring to your kind attention that Hon'ble Chief Justice of India and Hon'ble Executive Chairman, NALSA have desired that the National Lok Adalat for all matters may be organized throughout the country right from Taluk level court to Supreme Court on 12-11-2016.

3. The following types of cases that are presently pending in the courts at various levels may be taken up for disposal at the National Lok Adalat:

1. Criminal compoundable cases.
2. Negotiable Instruments Act under Section 138.
3. MACT Cases: Accident Information Report (AIR) case should also be taken up in MACT as also State Transport cases.
4. Matrimonial/family courts cases.
5. Labour Disputes including cases where re-employment with no back wages (as per policy) could be disposed of and including cases relating to Liquidation where claims of industrial workers for wages and other benefits are pending.
6. Land Acquisition cases including relating to Industrial Boards, land acquisition for ONGC, Railways and other centrally sponsored schemes and also land acquisition executions.
7. Civil Cases—rent, bank recovery, easmentary rights, Debt Recovery Tribunal Cases.
8. Revenue Cases.
9. MNREGA.
10. Electricity & Water Bills (excluding Theft cases)
11. Cases relating to Sales Tax, Income Tax, Indirect Tax (CESTAT) other Revenue matters in Mumbai/Delhi other commercial centers.
12. Service matters relating to pay and allowances and retiral benefits.
13. Forest Act cases.
14. Cantonment Boards matters.



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15. Railway Claims.
16. Disaster compensation.
17. Misc. Appeals, Criminal Appeals, Civil Appeals, 2nd Appeals, Original suits, Writs, MACT appeals before the Hon'ble High Court
18. Covered Matters.

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4. I request that special focus could be on old pending cases, in the aforesaid subject matters. It is further suggested that the task of identifying suitable cases be undertaken in all earnestness. Pre-litigation cases may also be taken up. At the same time, care must be taken to avoid including such cases where disposal at the Lok Adalat will not result in a non-executable decree. This will be in keeping with the resolution passed at the All India Meet of the SLSAs held at Ranchi during the month of March, 2015.

5. NALSA may be informed at regular intervals of the progress in the preparations. The details of expenses incurred under distinct heads may also be forwarded to NALSA immediately after the National Lok Adalat.

6. I request your goodself that this letter may kindly be place before the Hon'ble Patron-in-Chief and the Hon'ble Executive Chairman of your State Authority for further directions.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely

(Alok Agarwal)
Member Secretary