HIGH COURT OF MADHYA PRADESH, JABALPUR

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Memo No. : 1.1.2224.

Jabalpur, Dt. 27 September, 2017

To

District and Sessions Judge, All in the State, M. P.

Subject:

Regarding expeditious disposal of old pending cases.

Reference:

- 1. Registry Memo A/1931, dated 24.08.2017.
- 2. Resolution passed in meetings of Hon'ble the Chief Justice with District and Sessions Judges, held on 22.08.17, 29.08.17, 31.08.17 and 05.09.17.

As directed, on the Subject and References cited above, I am to inform you that Hon'ble the Chief Justice has been pleased to issue further directions, in addition to previous directions issued in previous Registry Memo A/1931, dated 24.08.2017, as follows:

- 1. The District Judges should take the leadership, motivate and guide the Judicial Officers posted in the districts to dispose of priority cases.
- 2. Seek cooperation of Bar Members to speed up cases pending for more than 10 years and more than 5 years.
- 3. If the service in Electricity cases is not satisfactory, the service may be effected by joint effort of person from Electricity Department and Police.
- 4. The cases of UTP pending for more than 3 years require attention and priority.

- 5. So far as possible the District Judges must ensure equal distribution of old cases.
- 6. Special attention is required with regard to old pending cases in the category of MACT, Juvenile Justice Act, Matrimonial Matters cases under Electricity Act and Crimes against Women.
- 7. The pendency of old criminal MJC is in higher side, take the help of rule 363 of Rules and Orders (Criminal), in matters relating to recovery of fine.
- 8. To timely achieve the target of cases pending for more than 10 years and more than 5 years, the cases which may jump in the category of 10 years or 5 years within 6 months, must also be targeted.
- 9. District Judges must maintain proper entry in the appropriate register with receipts of summons and warrants issued to the police for service
- 10. There should be an identification marks (like top priority 5 years old / 10 years old) on the top of all the summons and warrants issued in old cases.
- 11. In verification of data, the System Officer / Asst. System Officer be involved.
- 12. The System Officer and Asst. System Officer be directed to run the script daily to update the data on High Court server, which may be ported on NJDG.

You are, therefore, requested to do needful.

(SANAT KUMAR KASHYAP)

27,03,17

Registrar (DE)