

ORDER

The Constitution of Benches w.e.f. 6th of December, 2023 as mentioned below has been deferred and its date of commencement will be notified later.

**By Order of Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice
04.12.2023**

CONSTITUTION OF BENCHES
HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD
w.e.f. 6th of December, 2023 at Allahabad

Sr. No.	Court No.	Name of Hon'ble Judges	Jurisdiction
DIVISION BENCHES FOR CIVIL MATTERS			
1	21	Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice, J. Hon'ble Kshitij Shailendra, J. (D.B. - 1)	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Public Interest Litigation; 2. Application under Article 228 of the Constitution of India; 3. Tolls on river bridges in U.P. matters; 4. Environment matters; 5. Special Appeals wherein High Court of Judicature at Allahabad is a party; 6. Writ C - Recovery matters including recovery in R.E.R.A. matters; 7. Writ C - Land Acquisition.
1A	21	Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice, J. (After midday recess on Friday)	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Application under Section 11 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996.
1B	53	Hon'ble Kshitij Shailendra, J. (After midday recess on Friday)	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. All Civil matters wherein proceedings of Courts Below/ Tribunals have been stayed.
2	3	Hon'ble Anjani Kumar Mishra, J. Hon'ble Jayant Banerji, J. (D.B. - 2)	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ C - Control orders and U.P. Cooperative Societies Act matters; 2. Writ A - Transport; 3. Writ C - Mines and Minerals; 4. Writ C - All Political pension matters; 5. Writ C - Petition relating to Human Rights Act, 1993; 6. Matters pertaining to Intellectual Property Rights; 7. All other Civil matters which are not provided elsewhere.
3	29	Hon'ble V. K. Birla, J. Hon'ble Donadi Ramesh, J. (D.B. - 4)	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ A - All Service Matters; 2. Matters pertaining to Armed Forces Tribunal, Central Administrative Tribunal and State Public Service Tribunal; 3. Matters pertaining to challenge to the order of the Chancellor of University; 4. Family Court Appeals;

			<p>5. Matters pertaining to the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizen Act, 2007;</p> <p>6. Matters relating to Commercial Appellate Division including Appeals not provided elsewhere.</p>
4	32	<p>Hon'ble Ashwani Kumar Mishra, J. Hon'ble Syed Qamar Hasan Rizvi, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 5)</p>	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writ C – Local bodies; 2. Writ C – Development Authorities; 3. Special Appeals except provided elsewhere.
5	39	<p>Hon'ble S. D. Singh, J. Hon'ble Manjive Shukla, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 7)</p>	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writ C – All matters except provided elsewhere; 2. Custom, Excise & Tax matters which includes Tax Writs, recovery of Tax, Appeals and applications arising out of 'Direct' and 'Indirect' taxes and tax references.

DIVISION BENCHES FOR CRIMINAL MATTERS

1	42	<p>Hon'ble M. C. Tripathi, J. Hon'ble Gajendra Kumar, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 3)</p>	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Criminal Writs.
2	43	<p>Hon'ble Siddhartha Varma, J. Hon'ble Anish Kumar Gupta, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 6)</p>	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Habeas Corpus Writs; 2. Capital cases; 3. All Supreme Court expedited Criminal Appeals; 4. Criminal Appeals of the Convicts in Custody for more than seven years (To be listed at the Top of the List for priority hearing).
3	44	<p>Hon'ble Arvind Singh Sangwan, J. Hon'ble Shiv Shanker Prasad, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 8)</p>	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Criminal contempt; 2. Contempt Appeal; 3. Applications U/s 372 and 378 Cr.P.C. (Leave to Appeal) and Criminal Appeals including appeals under section 372, 378 Cr.P.C. & Government Appeals, pertaining to rape and other sexual offences (except cases pertaining to Members of Parliament, Members of Legislative Assembly and Members of Legislative Council); 4. Criminal Appeals of the Convicts in Custody for more than seven years (To be listed at the Top of the List for priority

4	67	<p>Hon'ble Rahul Chaturvedi, J. Hon'ble Vinod Diwakar, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 9)</p>	<p>hearing).</p> <p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Criminal Appeals and Applications for suspension of sentence in pending Criminal Appeals; 2. Criminal Appeals under Section 372 and 378 Cr.P.C. not provided elsewhere; 3. Application under Sections 372 and 378 Cr.P.C. (Leave to Appeal) not provided elsewhere; 4. Application U/s 389(2) Cr.P.C.; 5. Criminal Appeals of the Convicts in Custody except provided elsewhere; 6. Government Appeal not provided elsewhere; 7. Government Appeal for hearing in which convicts in custody not provided elsewhere.
5	45	<p>Hon'ble Rajiv Gupta, J. Hon'ble Mohd. Azhar Husain Idrisi, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 10)</p>	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Criminal Cases pertaining to Members of Parliament, Members of Legislative Assembly and Members of Legislative Council; 2. Criminal Appeals and Applications for suspension of sentence in pending Criminal Appeals; 3. Jail Appeal by convicts in custody and applications for suspension of sentence; 4. Criminal Appeals Defective and Jail Appeals Defective; 5. Criminal Appeals of the Convicts in Custody for more than seven years (To be listed at the Top of the List for priority hearing); 6. All Criminal matters not provided elsewhere.
6	46	<p>Hon'ble Siddharth, J. Hon'ble Ram Manohar Narayan Mishra, J.</p> <p>(D.B. - 11)</p>	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Criminal Appeals of the Convicts in Custody for more than seven years (To be listed at the Top of the List for priority hearing); 2. Criminal Appeals and Applications for suspension of sentence in pending Criminal Appeals.

SINGLE JUDGE BENCHES FOR CIVIL MATTERS

1	1	Hon'ble Shekhar B. Saraf, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tax & Excise matters including central taxation; 2. Company cases; 3. R.E.R.A. Appeals; 4. Appeal under Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996; 5. Matters related to Commercial Courts Act.
2	2	Hon'ble Salil Kumar Rai, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writ C - Intermediate Education (Miscellaneous); 2. Writ C - Intermediate Education (Disputes of Committee of Management); 3. Writ C - Matters pertaining to educational institutions including society matters relating to educational institutions not provided elsewhere; 4. Writ C - Society Matters other than relating to educational institutions.
3	4	Hon'ble Saral Srivastava, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writ C - Indian Stamp Act matters; 2. Writ petitions arising out of the orders of BIFR and AAIFR; 3. Writ A - Transport.
4	7	Hon'ble J. J. Munir, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Second Appeal; 2. All Civil matters wherein proceedings of Courts Below/ Tribunals have been stayed.
5	33	Hon'ble Ajit Kumar, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writ A - Service matters relating to Educational Institutions other than primary education.
6	5	Hon'ble Rajeev Misra, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writ C - Matters pertaining to U.P.Z.A. & L.R. Act, U.P. Land Revenue Act & U.P. Revenue Code and all other Revenue Laws not provided elsewhere.
7	34	Hon'ble Neeraj Tiwari, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writ A - Service matters not provided elsewhere; 2. Writ A - Service matters relating to local bodies including corporations and co-operative societies.

8	35	Hon'ble Prakash Padia, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ A – Government Service.
9	36	Hon'ble S. S. Shamsbery, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ A – Service matters relating to Primary Education.
10	6	Hon'ble Rohit Ranjan Agarwal, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. All Miscellaneous Civil Writs except provided elsewhere; 2. Writ C – Writ petitions relating to the U. P. Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 and other Labour Laws; 3. Matters pertaining to Intellectual Property Rights.
11	9	Hon'ble Vipin Chandra Dixit, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Applications under Section 24 C.P.C.; 2. First Appeal; 3. F.A.F.O.
12	48	Hon'ble Dinesh Pathak, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ B - Arising out of proceedings under Consolidation of Holdings Act.
13	49	Hon'ble Chandra Kumar Rai, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ B - Board of Revenue matters; 2. Writ C – P.I.L.
14	50	Hon'ble Ashutosh Srivastava, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ A - Rent control/Civil matters under Art.227 of the Constitution of India pertaining to rent control; 2. S.C.C. Revision.
15	51	Hon'ble Vikas Budhwar, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Testamentary/Probate matter; 2. Civil Contempt; 3. All other Civil matters which are not provided elsewhere.
16	52	Hon'ble Manish Kumar Nigam, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writs under Art. 226 and Civil matters under Art. 227 of the Constitution of India arising out of orders of Civil Courts and Tribunals; 2. Civil Revision.
SINGLE JUDGE BENCHES FOR CRIMINAL MATTERS			
1	64	Hon'ble Ajay Bhanot, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Major Bail Applications u/s 302 I.P.C. (Sole

			or with other offences) from the year 2023.
2	86	Hon'ble Manoj Bajaj, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. - State cases pertaining to section 376 and 302 I.P.C. (sole or with any other offence (except 304-B I.P.C. and other matrimonial offences)) from the year 2023; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. of the year 2017.
3	87	Hon'ble Vivek Varma, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. not provided elsewhere from the year 2023; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. of the year 2022.
4	77	Hon'ble Sanjay Kumar Singh, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Matters pertaining to Prevention of Corruption Act and/or matters investigated by C.B.I. (with or without any other offence); 2. Matters arising out of investigation by Enforcement Directorate (with or without any other offence); 3. NRHM and Ghaziabad GPF scam matters (with or without any other offence); 4. Criminal Cases pertaining to Members of Parliament, Members of Legislative Assembly and Members of Legislative Council (with or without any other offence); 5. Applications U/s 372 and 378 Cr.P.C. (Leave to Appeal) and Criminal Appeals including appeals under section 372, 378 Cr.P.C. & Government Appeals, pertaining to rape and other sexual offences.
5	70	Hon'ble Piyush Agrawal, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Minor Bail Applications not covered elsewhere from the year 2023.
6	71	Hon'ble Manju Rani Chauhan, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Minor Bail Applications relating to Chapter XVII and Chapter XVIII of I.P.C. from the year 2023.
7	78	Hon'ble Dr. Y. K. Srivastava, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Habeas Corpus Writ; 2. Criminal Matters under Art.227 of the

			Constitution of India; 3. Criminal Revision starting from the oldest upto the year 1999.
8	65	Hon'ble Raj Beer Singh, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Major Bail Applications upto the year 2022.
9	66	Hon'ble Shekhar Kumar Yadav, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Major Bail Applications except provided elsewhere from the year 2023.
10	68	Hon'ble Deepak Verma, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Major Bail Applications u/s 376, 376A-376E (Sole or with other offences (except 302 and 304-B I.P.C.)) from the year 2023.
11	69	Hon'ble Dr. Gautam Chowdhary, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Major Bail Applications u/s 304-B I.P.C. (Sole or with other offences (except 302 I.P.C.)) from the year 2023.
12	74	Hon'ble Samit Gopal, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Anticipatory Bail Applications relating to offences U/s 302, 396, 304, 304-B, 376, 376A-376E, 326A, 326B, 306 and 460 I.P.C. (Sole or with other offences) from July 2023.
13	88	Hon'ble Sanjay Kumar Pachori, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Criminal Appeals u/s 14A(1) of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 against the Judgment of Conviction/Acquittal of Special Court or Exclusive Special Court pertaining to rape and other sexual offences; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. upto the year 2015.
14	79	Hon'ble Subhash Chandra Sharma, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Criminal Appeal U/s 14(A)(2) of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989; 2. All other Criminal matters which are not provided elsewhere.
15	89	Hon'ble Sadhna Rani (Thakur), J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. - pertaining to SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 from the year 2023; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. of the year 2021.

16	72	Hon'ble S. A. H. Rizvi, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Minor Bail Applications upto the year 2022.
17	75	Hon'ble Krishan Pahal, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Anticipatory Bail Applications upto June 2023.
18	76	Hon'ble Sameer Jain, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Anticipatory Bail Applications relating to offences except U/s 302, 396, 304, 304-B , 376 , 376A-376E , 326A , 326B , 306 and 460 I.P.C. from July 2023.
19	90	Hon'ble Vikram D Chauhan, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C – State cases pertaining to section 304-B I.P.C. and other matrimonial offences (sole or with any other offence) from the year 2023; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. of the year 2018.
20	80	Hon'ble Umesh Chandra Sharma, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Criminal Appeals and Application for Suspension of Sentence therein; 2. Criminal Revision not provided elsewhere.
21	73	Hon'ble Saurabh Srivastava, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Minor Bail Applications relating to Special Acts from the year 2023.
22	81	Hon'ble Renu Agarwal, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Writ C – All Couple Security Matters; 2. Criminal Revision from the year 2000 to 2015.
23	82	Hon'ble Jyotsna Sharma, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Criminal Revisions filed under Section 102 of the Juvenile Justice Act, 2015; 2. Criminal Writ.
24	91	Hon'ble Mayank Kumar Jain, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. - Complaint cases other than pertaining to Special Acts from the year 2023; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. of the year 2020.
25	83	Hon'ble Surendra Singh-I, J.	Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing) 1. Criminal Revision not provided elsewhere; 2. Government Revision; 3. Criminal Appeals and Application for Suspension of Sentence therein.

26	84	Hon'ble Nalin Kumar Srivastava, J.	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application U/s 378 and 372 Cr.P.C. (Leave to Appeal) not provided elsewhere; 2. Application U/s 389(2) and 407 Cr.P.C.; 3. Criminal Appeals not provided elsewhere; 4. Jail Appeals; 5. Criminal Appeal under Section 372 and 378 Cr.P.C. not provided elsewhere; 6. Government Appeals not provided elsewhere; 7. Criminal Matters arising out of Taxing Statute.
27	85	Hon'ble Nand Prabha Shukla, J.	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Criminal Appeals U/s 14(A)(1) of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 not provided elsewhere. 2. Application U/s 372 Cr.P.C. (Leave to appeal) starting from the oldest; 3. Criminal Appeals starting from the oldest.
28	92	Hon'ble Prashant Kumar, J.	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. - State cases pertaining to Special Acts from the year 2023; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. of the year 2016.
29	93	Hon'ble Arun Kumar Singh Deshwal, J.	<p>Fresh and Listed (e-Court/Physical): (Order, Admission and Hearing)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. - Complaint cases pertaining to Special Acts from the year 2023; 2. Application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. of the year 2019.

Note:-

1. The Administrative Order dated 16.12.2013 regarding part heard and tied up cases will continue in operation.
2. Mentioning, if any of Single Bench cases shall be made before the Senior most Single Bench available among all the Benches having the jurisdiction over the matter as per the Constitution of Benches except Part Heard and Tied Up matters.
3. Mentioning, if any of Division Bench cases shall be made before the Senior most Division Bench available for Civil matters for Division Bench Civil cases and Senior most Division Bench available for Criminal matters for Division Bench Criminal cases as per the Constitution of Benches except Part Heard and Tied Up matters.
4. Mentioning of any cases pertaining to jurisdiction specially assigned to any Court shall be made before such court except Part Heard and Tied Up matters.
5. Criminal Appeals of the Convicts in Custody for more than seven years shall be listed at the Top of the List for priority hearing.
6. Priority hearing of all Supreme Court Expedited matters.
7. Priority hearing of old criminal matters for final disposal, Capital Sentence cases , criminal appeals where the accused has undergone more than half the sentence in view of Section 436A Cr.P.C. and

the accused is in jail.

8. Priority hearing of matters relating to murder, rape, dacoity and kidnapping.
9. Priority hearing of those cases wherein mediation is successful.
10. Priority hearing of Criminal Revisions filed under Section 102 of the Juvenile Justice Act, 2015 and Habeas Corpus Writs.

**By Order of Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice
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