

**CONSTITUTION OF BENCHES AT LUCKNOW BENCH OF THE  
ALLAHABAD HIGH COURT  
WITH EFFECT FROM 3<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2017**

**DIVISION BENCHES FOR CIVIL MATTERS**

1	<b>Hon. Vikram Nath, J. Hon. Abdul Moin, J. (D.B.-2)</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Public interest litigation (civil) (except public interest litigation writs relating to Encroachment of Gaon Sabha land) from <b>1<sup>st</sup> January 2013</b> and Public interest litigation (criminal);</p> <p>2 Special appeals <b>from 1 January, 2016;</b></p> <p>3 <b>Writs relating to local bodies, local authorities, development authorities and co-operative societies from 1 January 2016 onwards;</b></p> <p>4 Writs relating to land acquisition;</p> <p>5 Environmental matters;</p> <p>6 Writs relating to tolls on river bridges in Uttar Pradesh;</p> <p>7 Cases relating to NRHM scam;</p> <p>8 Applications under Article 228 of the Constitution of India;</p> <p>9 Cases where the vires of Central or State Legislation is challenged for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p>
1A	<b>Hon. Vikram Nath, J. (On Friday at 2.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Cases relating to NRHM scam.</p> <p>2 Applications for expedited hearing.</p> <p>3 Application under Section 482 &amp; 483 Cr.P.C. starting from the oldest <b>upto the year 2011</b></p>
1B	<b>Hon. Abdul Moin, J. (On Friday at 2.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Criminal revisions irrespective of the year starting from the oldest.</p>
2	<b>Hon. Shabihul Hasnain, J. Hon. S.K.Singh-I, J. (D.B.- 5)</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Family court appeals;</p> <p>2 First appeals from orders;</p> <p>3 First appeals;</p> <p>4 Special appeals <b>upto 31 December 2012;</b></p> <p>5 Miscellaneous writs <b>upto 31 December 2010</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p>
2A	<b>Hon. Shabihul Hasnain, J. (Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Service writs starting from the oldest of the <b>year 2011 to 2016.</b></p>
2B	<b>Hon. S.K.Singh-I, J. (Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Second Appeal irrespective of the year starting from the oldest.</p>

3	<b>Hon. Dr. D.K.Arora, J.</b> <b>Hon. Rajnish Kumar, J.</b> <b>(D.B.- 7)</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Service writs including those of judicial officers of District judiciary and employees of High Court, District Courts other than those arising out of orders of the Central Administrative Tribunal and State Public Service Tribunal;</p> <p>2 Writs relating to disputes of street vendors/ hawkers/ Implementation of 2009 policy;</p> <p>3 Miscellaneous writs <b>from 1 January 2011 to 31 December 2015</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p> <p>4 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.</p>
3A	<b>Hon. Hon. Dr. D.K.Arora, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Writs relating to consolidation matters starting from the oldest irrespective of the year.</p>
3B	<b>Hon. Rajnish Kumar, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Major and Minor Bail irrespective of the year starting from the oldest.</p>
4	<b>Hon. Anil Kumar, J.</b> <b>Hon. D.S.Tripathi, J.</b> <b>(D.B.- 8)</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Service writs arising out of orders of the Central Administrative Tribunal and State Public Service Tribunal;</p> <p>2 Contempt appeals;</p> <p>3 Special appeals from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2015; for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p> <p>4 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.</p>
4A	<b>Hon. Anil Kumar, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Civil Contempt irrespective of year starting from the oldest.</p> <p>2 Testamentary cases for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p>
4B	<b>Hon. D.S.Tripathi, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	<p>1 Criminal Appeal starting from the oldest upto the year 2000 for final hearing.</p> <p>2 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.</p>
5	<b>Hon. D.K.Upadhyaya, J.</b> <b>Hon. Rajesh Singh Chauhan, J.</b> <b>(D.B.- 9)</b>	<p>Fresh and listed:</p> <p>1 Tax writs, including recovery of tax, appeals and applications relating to direct and indirect tax matters;</p> <p>2 Miscellaneous writs <b>(except those assigned to DB-2) from 1 January 2016</b> onwards;</p> <p>3 Public interest litigation (civil) (except public interest litigation writs relating to Encroachment of Gaon Sabha land) upto <b>31<sup>st</sup> December 2012</b>; for order</p>

			admission and hearing including bunch cases.
5A	<b>Hon. D.K.Upadhyaya, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	1	Listed Miscellaneous Writs from 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2014 to 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2016 for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.
5B	<b>Hon. Rajesh Singh Chauhan, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	1	Trade tax revision irrespective of the year starting from the oldest.
		2	Listed Writs relating to tax, excise and central taxation upto 31 <sup>st</sup> December, 2017

### **DIVISION BENCHES FOR CRIMINAL MATTERS**

1	<b>Hon. Ajai Lamba, J.</b> <b>Hon. Dinesh Kumar Singh, J.</b> <b>(D.B.- 3)</b>		Fresh and listed : 1 Criminal revisions; 2 Applications for leave under section 378(4) Cr.P.C.; 3 Criminal appeals including criminal appeals under Section 376 I.P.C. <b>from 1 January 2015</b> on priority basis; 4 Capital sentence cases; 5 Criminal writs <b>upto 31 December 2014</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.
1A	<b>Hon. Ajai Lamba, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	1	<b>Application under Section 482 &amp; 483 Cr.P.C. starting from the oldest upto the year 2011.</b>
1B	<b>Hon. Dinesh Kumar Singh, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	1	Criminal Appeal starting from the oldest of the <b>year 2001 to 2010</b> for final hearing.
2	<b>Hon. Arvind Kumar Tripathi, J.</b> <b>Hon. Shashi Kant, J.</b> <b>(D.B.- 4)</b>		Fresh and listed : 1 Criminal writs <b>from 1 January 2015</b> ; 2 Criminal contempt; 3 Habeas Corpus writs; 4 Government criminal appeals; 5 Appeals arising from POTA; 6 <b>All matters arising out of investigation by Enforcement Directorate</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.
2A	<b>Hon. Arvind Kumar Tripathi, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday From 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	1	Application under Section 482 & 483 Cr.P.C. starting from the oldest of the <b>year 2012 to 2016.</b> <b>AND</b>
		2	Listed Major bail applications (i.e. bail applications under section 302, 396, 304, 304-B, 376, 376A, 376B, 376C, 376D, 376E, 326A, 326B, 306 and 460 I.P.C.) <b>from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017</b> for orders.
2B	<b>Hon. Shashi Kant, J.</b> <b>(Thursday and Friday</b>	1	Criminal Appeal starting from the oldest of the <b>year 2011 to 2016</b> for final hearing.

	<b>from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.)</b>	2	<b>AND</b> Listed Major bail applications (i.e. bail applications under section 302, 396, 304, 304-B, 376, 376A, 376B, 376C, 376D, 376E, 326A, 326B, 306 and 460 I.P.C.) <b>upto 30 June 2016</b> for orders.
3	<b>Hon. Prashant Kumar, J.</b> <b>Hon. Anil Kumar Srivastava-II, J.</b> <b>(D.B.- 6)</b>	1	Listed Criminal appeals including criminal appeals under section 376 I.P.C. <b>upto 31 December 2014</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.

### SINGLE JUDGE BENCHES FOR CIVIL MATTERS

1	<b>Hon. Mahendra Dayal, J.</b>		Fresh and listed : 1 First appeals; 2 First appeals from orders; 3 All civil matters cognizable by Single Judge; 4 Small Cause Courts revisions; 5 Civil matters of all categories <b>(except those assigned to E-Court)</b> where High Court has granted stay of the proceedings before the trial court from the year 2006 to 2012; for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases. 6 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.
2	<b>Hon. Rakesh Srivastava, J.</b>		Fresh and listed : 1 Miscellaneous writs from <b>1 January 2017</b> ; 2 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India relating to consolidation; 3 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India relating to U.P.Z.A. and L.R. Act; 4 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India relating to Land Revenue Act; 5 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India arising out of orders passed by Board of revenue; Ceiling of land; for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases. 6 Civil matters of all categories <b>(except those assigned to E-Court)</b> where High Court has granted stay of the proceedings before the trial court from the year 2013 onwards for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.
3	<b>Hon. A. R. Masoodi, J.</b>	1	Fresh and listed: 1 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India arising out of the orders passed by the Courts below under Order XXXIX of the Code of Civil

		<p>Procedure including Rule 2A, thereof;</p> <p>2 Service writs (except Service writs of employees of High Court and District Judiciary) upto 31 December 2010 for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p> <p>3 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.</p>
4	<b>Hon. Rajan Roy, J.</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Civil contempt matters;</p> <p>2 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India relating to Rent control;</p> <p>3 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India relating to matters arising out of Code of Civil Procedure (except the matters assigned to other court);</p> <p>4 Civil matters of all categories (<b>except those assigned to E-Court</b>) where High Court has granted stay of the proceedings before the trial court upto the year 2005 for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases;</p> <p>5 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.</p>
5	<b>Hon. Anant Kumar, J.</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Second appeals;</p> <p>2 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India relating to Encroachment of Gaon Sabha land, including public interest litigation;</p> <p>3 Writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India relating to U.P. Panchayat Raj Act, 1947;</p> <p>4 All writs relating to fair price shop matters for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p>
6	<b>Hon. Sanjay Harkauli, J.</b>	<p>1 Listed Miscellaneous Writs <b>upto 31 December, 2013</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p>
7	<b>Hon. Vivek Chaudhary, J.</b>	<p>Fresh and listed <b>as E-Court:</b></p> <p>1 Civil revisions;</p> <p>2 Applications Under Section 24 C.P.C.;</p> <p>3 Applications upto the stage of winding up proceedings under Section 439 of the Companies Act, 1956; for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p>
		<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Service writs of employees of High Court and District</p>

		<p>Judiciary;</p> <p>2 Service writs <b>from 1 January 2011;</b></p> <p>3 Writs relating to tax, excise and central taxation from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2017 onward;</p> <p>4 Matters under section 11 of Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases;</p> <p>5 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.</p>
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### SINGLE JUDGE BENCHES FOR CRIMINAL MATTERS

1	<b>Hon. Pratyush Kumar, J.</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Applications under section 482 &amp; 483 Cr.P.C., criminal revisions and criminal writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India <b>from 1 January 2011;</b></p> <p>2 On priority basis starting from the oldest cases under section 482 Cr.P.C. relating to murder, rape, kidnapping and dacoity in which investigation or proceedings of trial court have been stayed for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p> <p>3 Cases classified as oldest and/or likely to be infructuous for disposal.</p>
2	<b>Hon. U. C. Srivastava, J.</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Criminal appeals including criminal appeals under section 376 I.P.C. <b>from 1 January 2010</b> onwards;</p> <p>2 Applications under section 389 (2) Cr.P.C. ;</p> <p>3 Matters under section 407 Cr.P.C. ;</p> <p>4 Applications under section 482 &amp; 483 Cr.P.C., criminal revisions and criminal writs under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India <b>from the year 2006 to 2010;</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.</p>
3	<b>Hon. R. N. Mishra-II, J.</b>	<p>Fresh and listed :</p> <p>1 Minor bail applications (except under section 302, 396, 304, 304-B, 376, 376A, 376B, 376C, 376D, 376E, 326A, 326B, 306 and 460 I.P.C.) <b>from 1 January 2016</b> for orders;</p> <p>2 Minor bail applications (except under section 302, 396, 304, 304-B, 376, 376A, 376B, 376C, 376D, 376E, 326A, 326B, 306 and 460 I.P.C.) <b>upto 31 December 2015</b> for orders.</p> <p>3 Applications under section 482 &amp; 483 Cr.P.C., criminal revisions and criminal writs under Article 226</p>

			and 227 of the Constitution of India <b>upto the year 2005</b> ; for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.
4	<b>Hon. Virendra Kumar-II, J.</b>	1	Listed Criminal appeals including criminal appeals under section 376 I.P.C. <b>upto the year 2000</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.
5	<b>Hon. Rekha Dikshit, J.</b>		Fresh and listed :
		1	Major bail applications (i.e. bail applications under section 302, 396, 304, 304-B, 376, 376A, 376B, 376C, 376D, 376E, 326A, 326B, 306 and 460 I.P.C.) <b>from 1 July 2017</b> ;
		2	Matters under section 378 Cr.P.C.;
		3	<b>Appeal under section 14 A(2) SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 against bail order of Special Court;</b>
		4	Habeas Corpus writs; for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.
6	<b>Hon. Rang Nath Pandey, J.</b>	1	Listed Criminal appeals including criminal appeals under section 376 I.P.C. from <b>2001 to 2009</b> for orders, admission and hearing including bunch cases.

Note: The administrative order dated 16.12.2013 regarding part heard and tied up cases will continue in operation.

**CHIEF JUSTICE  
27.09.2017**