National Judicial Academy

P-1025: North Zone Regional Conference for Enhancing the Excellence of Judicial Institutions: Challenges & Opportunities at Chandigarh, Punjab & Haryana

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No. of Participants : 63 No. of forms received : 63

	I. OVERALL					
	PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks	
a.	The objective of the Program was clear to me	96.88	3.12	-	-	
b.	The subject matter of the program is useful and relevant to my work	92.19	7.81	-	-	
c.	Overall, I got benefited from attending this program	96.88	3.12	-	-	
d.	I will use the new learning, skills, ideas and knowledge in my work	98.44	1.56	-	-	
e.	Adequate time and opportunity was provided to participants to share experiences	90.77	7.69	1.54	-	
	II. KNOWLEDGE					
	PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks	
Th	The program provided knowledge (or provided links / references to knowledge) which is:					
a.	Useful to my work	90.32	9.68	-	-	
b.	Comprehensive (relevant case laws, national laws, leading text / articles / comments by jurists)	93.55	6.45	-	-	
c.	Up to date	91.67	8.33	-	-	
	Related to Constitutional Vision of Justice	97.22	2.78	-	-	
e.	Related to International Legal Norms	45.45	48.49	6.06	-	

	III. STRUCTURE OF THE PROGRAM						
	PROPOSITIONS	Good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Remarks		
a.	The structure and sequence of the program was logical	90.63	9.38	-	-		
b.	The program was an ad	adequate combination of the following methodologies viz.					
	i. Interactive sessions were fruitful	87.30	12.70	-	-		
	ii. Audio Visual Aids were beneficial	70.97	27.42	1.61	-		
		IV. INDIV	TOUAL SESSIONS				
	PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks		
a.	Discussions in individual sessions were effectively organized	91.94	8.06	-	-		
b.	The session theme was adequately addressed by the Resource Persons	98.39	1.61	-	-		
		V. PROGR	RAM MATERIALS				
	PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks		
a.	The Program material is useful and relevant	90.16	9.84	-	-		
b.	The content was updated. It reflected recent case laws/current thinking/research/policy in the discussed area	88.71	11.29	-	-		
c.	The content was organized and easy to follow	83.87	16.13	-	-		
	VI. GENERAL SUGGESTIONS						
a.	Three most important learning achievements of this Programme	 1. How to tackle a situation case to case basis; 2. The problems face by me are not unique but faced by all the judicial officers at all the levels; 3. Interaction between judicial officers of other State. 2. It motivated me to be more diligent in my work to acquire more and more legal knowledge to become a better judicial officer and to use technology in our day to day work. 3. 1. Concept of Social Justice beyond provides of statutory assess 2. Out reaching 					
		 3. 1. Concept of Social Justice beyond provides of statutory cases; 2. Out reaching justice to depend class; 3. Effective court management. 4. 1. To be trained by Hon'ble Resource Persons; 2. Interaction with High Court judges from other States; 3. The material provide/ Effective & very relevant. 					

- 5. Concept of Social justice. Constitutional values, ethics.
- 6. It is already excellence.
- 7. Objective of law; Objective of life; Objective of constitution of India; Objective of Juris programme.
- 8. 1. Developed a new vision of judiciary; Saw the importance of ICT in justice desperations.
- 9. Social context judging is required to achieve the goals of constitution.
- 10. 1. Learnt to handle media impacts; 2. Values of ethics in some new ways; 3. Social responsibilities that a judicial officer can take.
- 11. 1. Judicial Officer should send his/her mind toward; 2. Be impartial free social justice independent; 3. One should not by pass hereby.
- 12. 1. Interaction with Hon'ble judges; 2. Very inspiring programme; 3. Very useful in docket management.
- 13. 1. Boldness in delivering justice; 2. Root cause of fail use of justice; 3. Judge to come at ground some time for delivering speedy justice to needy.
- 14. What is importance of ethics, integrity and discipline; 2. Impact of media on public; 3. Session 6: *E- Justice: Re-engineering the Judicial Process through Effective use of ICT.*
- 15.1. Use of CIS and National Grid- to be used daily for case and do that case managed; 2. How we can do social context adjudication in smallest cases; 3. How we can take inactive to interact with our high court and not to be afraid.
- 16. All the programme were useful.
- 17. Compassion is an integral part of a judge's personality. A judge is a judge 24 hours.
- 18. **Session 1:** Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; **Session 3:** Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery; **Session 5:** Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies.
- 19. Good platform for learning from Hon'ble Judges from Supreme Court and High Courts. It was a very illuminating programme.
- 20. 1. Overall development of personality; 2. Enhanced knowledge; 3. Interactive sessions experience sharing.
- 21. **Session 2:** Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline; **Session 5:** Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies; **Session 6:** E- Justice: Re-engineering the Judicial Process through Effective use of ICT: Learning/Knowledge exchange of ideas/practices based in the topics.

- 22. 1. To be open to needs of society; 2. To project our problems openly to the higher authorities; 3. Not to be influenced by electronic media without going through the facts of case.
- 23. More emphases on ICT; Not to be influenced by media trial; Proper manage court working with active assistance of Seniors.
- 24. Judges should be compassionate and always put their best efforts.
- 25. Use of technology; Open to learning should have human approach while judge.
- 26. All the programme were well decided & necessary for us.
- 27. Being the lowest step of judiciary, a judge must be disciplined, certified integrity and sensitive, interactive session & importance of ICT on Indian judiciary.
- 28. Gave a broader picture.
- 29. Social Context Judging; Ethics
- 30. 1. Sensitized to various problems and compaction; 2. Communication gaps cleared to some extent; 3. Prosperity & ethics is inherited.
- 31. Interaction with judge of other states; Sharing of experiences of follows officers; Knowledge about technologically an in for judgement making.
- 32. Social adjudication vision media trial and their aspect effects society. Over all constitutional vision.
- 33. 1. Importance of ethics, integrity; 2. E-courts and NJDG concepts; 3. Social context judging.
- 34. Qualities of Judicial Officer; Quality of judicial work; Self accountability.
- 35. 1. Learning the biasness/baggers; 2. Ethics and discipline; 3. How to control the court proceedings and dealing with advocates.
- 36. Participant did not comment.
- 37. Ethics, Discipline and Integrity.
- 38. Ethics as civil judge.
- 39. Informative, Skillful, Confidence building.
- 40. Ethics & discipline; Impact of Media on judiciary; Social context judging.
- 41. Through providing and highly useful for practical work in court.
- 42. 1. We got the opportunity to discuss our problems; 2. By the Social Context Judging, hearing the experiences of bother/Sisters officers and Hon'ble we try to give our effort for social justice; 3.Interaction with other states officers our very nice.

- 43. Making the junior most officers aware of their role & responsibilities; Social issue sensitization of officers; a direct interaction of the junior most officers with Hon'ble Judges of the Apex Court.
- 44. Motivation; Connectivity will fellow judges from other states; Never solutions to old problems.
- 45.1. Learned about best practices; 2. Feeling more sensitized; 3. Helped in factorial judicial fraternity
- 46. 1. Social Context adjudication; 2. Usefulness of e-court of NDAC; 3. Role of judges requires.
- 47. 1. Relation between High court & district Judiciary; 2. Ethics which are to be imbibed.
- 48. Sessions concerning vigilance, E-justice and Social Context Judging were highly useful and were of great practical value.
- 49. Motivation; Interaction with fellow judges; New solutions in working in courts.
- 50. Overall upgradation of knowledge; Practical aspects were discussed; Social engineering is most important.
- 51.1. Very informative & interactive; 2. Enhances the working as a judges; 3. Sharing of experience by fellow & supersede judges.
- 52. None.
- 53. Application of discretion in social context judging. Communication between district judiciary and Hon'ble High Court.
- 54. All parts of programme were highly useful.
- 55. About the role of DLSA/SLSA.
- 56. I have learned much, a best ethics and how to maintain discipline and how to maintain necessity in judicial system.
- 57. Communication between subordinate judiciary and higher judiciary; Writing of order sheets; NJDG and its uses.
- 58. Participant did not comment.
- 59. Participant did not comment.
- 60. Law to be read with constitutional mission and provision. Main object is to do justice to the common men and ready pro-active method of judging.
- 61. 1. How to strengthen internal vigilance mechanism; 2. Impact of media on public perception; 3. Improving relation between High Court & District Judiciary.
- 62. Wider vision towards social adjudicators, use of updated technology and self-discipline.
- 63. Practical suggestions for running the court.

- b. Which part of the Programme did you find most useful and why
- 1. Participant did not comment.
- 2. I found the session relating to the effect of media on the trouble perception relating to the vitality of justice delivery system.
- 3. Interactive sessions. Reason Classification of various doubts and enlightens aspect various concepts.
- 4. Social Contexts/ Discretion of judicial officers in passing of orders.
- 5. Concept of Social Justice.
- 6. Excellent.
- 7. Every part of programme was useful in participants.
- 8. Social context judging; E-court.
- 9. Every part was useful.
- 10. All parts were equally good.
- 11. Open sharing of experience of judicial officer.
- 12. **Session 2:** *Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline* Reason being necessity of the hour.
- 13. Interaction with judicial officers.
- 14. **Session 3:** *Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery:* because it deals with day to day functioning of judiciary.
- 15. Session on Social Context Judging various experience were should by judicial officer which give ideas as to what use can impudence in our own.
- 16. All the programme were very useful but the first session was very useful and great.
- 17. All programmes were varied with different information's & guidance with different resource persons touching panorama of subjects.
- 18. Social Context Judging- It's very important in maintaining an equilibrium amongst the chief aims intended to be achieved by the rule of law.
- 19. Every session was good enough to add in our knowledge.
- 20. All sessions were very useful.
- 21. The lecture and sharing riches experience by Hon'ble Dr. Justice Balbir Singh Chauhan and following interaction.
- 22. Social Context Judging (SCJ) because it encouraged us to be more innovative and open to needs of society.

- 23. E-Justice because of will future improve our judicial skills and infuse further accountability & transparency in the discharge of judicial functions.
- 24. Participant did not comment.
- 25. Social Context Judging.
- 26. **Session 2:** Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline; **Session 3:** Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery; **Session 4:** Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary- which is extreme need of hour.
- 27. Lectures of Hon'ble Resources are very useful, because the innovative ideas & experiences of these, lecture the way how to delivery justice to common people to arrange the inclusive justice.
- 28. Outputs from the participants and addressed of their grievances/ difficulties without the fear of being reprimanded for raising the same.
- 29. All sessions especially **Session 1:** Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; **Session 2:** Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline; **Session 4:** Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary; **Session 5:** Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies.
- 30. Communication between High Courts and District Judiciary.
- 31. **Session 5:** Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies.
- 32. **Session 4:** Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary: was wonderful as this issue was never addressed.
- 33. Each session was useful but he session no1 on importance of ethics, integrity and discipline was the most motivational.
- 34. Every part of the programme was useful & effective.
- 35. Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary- It was the most useful one for the fact that the difficulties/Problems faced by use could be now issues directly to communicate to the Hon'ble High Court ether through Academy on through session's judge.
- 36. Participant did not comment.
- 37. **Session 1:** *Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline.*
- 38. **Session 1:** *Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline.*
- 39. Every part were useful.
- 40. Status & discipline.
- 41. Whole course was useful.
- 42. Interaction session.

- 43. Social context adjudication; Relationship between the high court and district judiciary as there were many useful suggestions.
- 44. Social Context Judging for its motivational value.
- 45. **Session 1:** Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; **Session 2:** Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline; **Session 3:** Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery; **Session 4:** Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary; **Session 5:** Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies.
- 46. All the parts of programme was very useful and will help in enhancing the skills required.
- 47. Interactive Sessions.
- 48. They are concerning effective use of ICT. Because of it's in immense practical value.
- 49. All the sessions of this programme are useful, but the last session about NJDG is very useful because it is very useful in manage our courts & working.
- 50. Social engineering because we draw satisfaction after being able to be of some help to the people.
- 51. The very basic organization of this programme as it enabled me as participant to have an insight into the working of this institution at different hierarchies.
- 52. Lecture on relationship between High Court and District Judiciary and role of State Judicial Academy in improving this bond.
- 53. Social Context Judging.
- 54. All parts of programme were useful.
- 55. Interaction with Justice Chouhan and the Director NJA.
- 56. All programme were useful.
- 57. Strengthening internal vigilance mechanism as response to sharing judicial indiscipline was most useful as it was helpful in justice delivery system.
- 58. Participant did not comment.
- 59. Participant did not comment.
- 60. Social Context Judging.
- 61. **Session 6:** E- Justice: Re-engineering the Judicial Process through Effective use of ICT.
- 62. Relation to e-court and case information system, the NJDG step.
- 63. All Sessions.

c.	Which part of the Programme did you find least useful and why	1. Nil- but there was only one audio – visual presented. There should be more such presentations.			
		2. I found almost all the sessions quite useful.3. None			
		4. Every part of the programme was useful.5. Participant did not comment.			
		6. Excellent.			
		7. None. 8. Nil 9. None.			
		10. None. 11. No.			
		12. None. 13. None. 14. No.			
		15. None- All sessions were very useful.16. All the programme well useful.			
		17. None.			
		18. Vigilance mechanism.			
		19. No such part. Entire programme was very illuminating/informative.			
		20. None. 21. None. 22. None.			
		23. Nil.24. Participant did not comment.25. Participant did not comment.26. Participant did not comment.			
		27. All programme are very useful and important for day to day working as a judge to deliver his divine duty.			
		28. None 29. None. 30. None.			
		31. Session 3: Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery.			
		32 None			

- 33. None. Each session was very informative and inspirational.
- 34. Participant did not comment.35. None.
- 36. Participant did not comment.
- 37. Impact of Media.

39. None. 40. None. 41. None. 42. Every session was useful, fruitful and we enjoyed it. 43. None. 44. Participant did not comment. 45. All sessions were useful. 46. Participant did not comment. 47. None. 48. Practically none. 49. Participant did not comment. 50. None. 51. Overall programme was very good. But these is always scope of betterment in all things. 52. None. 53. None. 54. None. 55. No part as such. 56. No one/ nothing. 57. None. 58. Participant did not comment. 59. Participant did not comment. 60. Participant did not comment. 61. Participant did not comment. 62. Participant did not comment. 63. None. 1. More and more such programmes and more participation of judicial officers. d. Kindly make suggestions you may have on how NJA may 2. There has to be a session where the participants should be allowed to legal serve you better and questions that they are unable to find an answer to despite their best efforts. Answer to such questions by the Resource Persons would enrich all the make its programmes more effective participants. 3. By insuring participation of remotely placed judicial officers in training programme and conference, so as to keep them at least of latest judicial developments. 4. 1. Regular feedback on monthly basis shall be sought team judicial officers by NJA through which deliberated and effective suggestion be sought; 2. Regular/Periodic some new judgment. Important for trial (only head notes) and recent developments in held of law (amendments) important for trail be sent to judges/Magistrates; 3. Judicial system comprises of three many party – i. Judges - (1. Judicial Magistrate 2. Executive Magistrate) ii. Prosecution wing iii. Advocate. A part from judges, emphasis should also be said on training and discipline of prosecutors and advocates. Persons exercising questions judicial functions shall

38. Not given a simple.

also be brought wide. Stair control & Superintendents of Hon'ble High Court so that image of judiciary is not furnished.

- 5. Participant did not comment.
- 6. Already excellent.
- 7. Such conference are must for making up the deficiency of any in the judicial set up.
- 8. Nil
- 9. Participant did not comment.
- 10. Inter –Zone programmes should be organized on regular basis. So that different ideas can be inter changed/ Shared.
- 11. By providing reading material in advance through e-mails.
- 12. It more programme are held like this and at this level, it will help improving health of judicial institution across the nation.
- 13. Very encouraging programme for officers. Judicial officers may be given the flag signs insured for the vehicles according to their ranks. New laptops may be provided at the lardiest. Games & yoga should be introduced in courts for physical fitness of Officers.
- 14. Similar programmes may kindly be arranged at least half yearly and detail of programme may kindly be sent well in advance.
- 15. Please include more visual presentation. Please ask speakers to provide reading material since speakers had provided but other did not.
- 16. The NJA is doing a great job but all the officer of the hart State must participate.
- 17. I personally thoroughly enjoyed the course of sessions through ant the programme. It was not only guiding but also refreshing. Thank you for your contemned guidance and nominations to my name.
- 18. It possible study material may be provided in advance. So that one many come prepare with problems & suggestions.
- 19. Such kind of conference must organized regularly as it gives platform to us to interact with judicial officer of other states, we can share our experiences and can analyze what we have done and how we can improve upon ourselves in our working. And most importantly through such conferences we get an opportunity to learn from learned dignitaries and to discuss our problems with them openly and freckly.
- 20. Some more conference on challenges faced by subordinate judiciary in working of courts should be organized.
- 21. The programme is very enriching would like to be participants in such programme at regular interval.

- 22. More of such conferences shall be arranged.
- 23. Kindly arrange regular & more training and conferences.
- 24. Participant did not comment.
- 25. Academy should organize more such conference.
- 26. None.
- 27. More and frequent conference should by organized.
- 28. Conduct more of such programmes so that the lower judiciary set up and higher judiciary set up both become aware of challenges being faced at both the levels and also find situation to the same for the overall better performance of the whole institution.
- 29. Such conference should be organized regularly.
- 30. More and more engaging sessions are required and some group activities should have been organized.
- 31. Everything was just fine.
- 32. It was a wonderful programme & managed properly.
- 33. It is kindly requested that more conferences like the present one should be organized in near future.
- 34. Participant did not comment.
- 35. By organizing more and more Regional conferences, learning sessions so that we have an interactive sessions wherein we can discuss the practical problems faced in the court.
- 36. Participant did not comment.
- 37. No.
- 38. These kinds of conferences may be arranged.
- 39. Please keep organizing programmes like this.
- 40. Should make a first of each conference & send the same through e-mail to each judicial officer other country so that they can also be benefited from their remarkable conference.
- 41. More conferences should be conducted.
- 42. NJA can provide a website where we can discuss our problems confidently; NJA should organize these kind of programme after six month each.
- 43. Discussion on legal issues which are practically very important for junior officers like temporary injunction; bail.
- 44. Participant did not comment.

- 45. 1. Kindly repeat conferences like there in regular intervals; 2. Kindly invite resource persons form police, Investigating always lawyers; 3. Please provide Academicians, Litigants to share these experience reading materials soft copy.
- 46. These conferences could be held regularly of all judicial officers should be circulated. The study material of all such conferences across India, Irrespective of fact whether they have been nominated or not. Or NJA can also upload all study material of every judicial conference on its website so that every judicial officer can take benefit of it whether he is invited or not.
- 47. Few programme should be organized to enhance trust between High Court & Subordinate judiciary through interaction.
- 48. Prior inputs be taken from participants, a proposed topics of discussion to make the interaction more engaging and fruitful.
- 49. Please organize more conferences like this with time to time & inviting all the three cadres of district judiciary. Then more experiences of senior officers become useful to younger ones.
- 50. These programmes must be conducted regularly. The encouragement to young officers was commendable. Sensitization of Hon'ble High Court Judges was good.
- 51. By organizing such programmes often in justice as it will enable the officers to come to one common platform wherein by first hand sharing of experience amongst the judges will enhance in the efficiency and delivering of functions as judicial officers in a much better and useful manner.
- 52. By conducting such training programmes and conferences on regular basis.
- 53. Duration of programme should be increased (At least 3 days are necessary).
- 54. It was a great learning experience.
- 55. One and half days was too less a time for interaction etc.
- 56. NJA serval better require when is no needy or further suggestion.
- 57. Regular conference and interaction with judges of different part of country helps increasing and knowledge.
- 58. Participant did not comment.
- 59. Participant did not comment.
- 60. Already doing.
- 61. Participant did not comment.
- 62. To have more comprehensive programmes having lager duration and discussion on more relevant legal topics of civil & criminal nature.
- 63. Frequent conducting of such programmes.

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