INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY ACTIVITIES AT HIGH COURT OF MADHYA PRADESH



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I. Live streaming of Court proceedings at High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur and its Bench at Indore and Gwalior:

The High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur has taken initiatives for live streaming of court proceedings of the High Court and on pilot basis of Live streaming was started from 21.06.2021 in the Court of Hon'ble the Chief Justice and from **28.06.2021** onwards the final Live streaming of court proceedings of the High Court has been started. The live streaming of Court proceedings are available through website of the High Court using digital platform "YouTube" and giving benefits to all respective stake holders.

- 2. e-Sewa Kendra has been setup and functional at High Court of M.P., Jabalpur and Bench at Indore and Gwalior.
- 3. Computerized Listing Policy of the High Court for the benefits of Duty Holders and Stake Holders (CMIS software) :

In order to meet the ever increasing demand for listing of cases for hearing, considering the available working Judges strength, streamlining the listing procedure, better court case management, ensuring timely disposal, transparency, accountability, consistency, make the process litigant and lawyer's friendly and to sub serve the aspirations of the stakeholders, scheme for rationalization of listing of cases before the Benches of the High Court of M.P the horizontal and vertical pattern of listing has been started and the listing pattern changed regularly in order to avoid any type of listing / complaint issues.

• 4. Relevant Measures to Enhance Excellence in Listing Policy :

The High Court of Madhya Pradesh has developed Software for the staff to create virtual work cut out for them on day to basis, which has reduced their work-load and optimized efficiency level.

5. Scanning & Digitization in the High Court :

Digitization of approximately <u>43.77 Lakh files (4377386)</u> comprising of <u>17.03 Crore</u> <u>pages (170336317)</u> has been completed. This is a prelude to a paper-less Court (E-Courts). Digitization of approximately <u>79717 files</u> comprising of <u>2175649 pages</u> has been completed. This is a prelude to a paper-less Court (E-Courts) from 01st January, 2022 to 28th February, 2022.

- 6. E-Filling :
- The Facility of e-Filing is functional at High Court.
- 5553 Advocates and 538 Litigant in person registered for e-filing process as on 28th February, 2022.
- 585 Advocates and 46 Litigant in person registered for e-filing process for the period from 01st January, 2022 to 28th February, 2022.
- 62345 Number of Cases filed at the High Court of Madhya Pradesh through e-filing.
 2174 Number of Cases filed at the High Court of Madhya Pradesh through e-filing from 01st January, 20.2-to 28th February, 2022.

7. Online E-Court Fees :

- Online Court Fee Module has started for making e-payment of Court Fees and other related fees. Total Court fees deposited using Online Payment at High Court from 20th November 2017 as on 28th February, 2022 is Rs. 24,31,06,410/-
- Total Court fees deposited using Online Payment at High Court from 1st January, 2022 to 28th February, 2022 is Rs. 1,46,48,730/-
- Total amount of Rs.4,14,60,642/- deposited using E-Filing in the High Court of Madhya Pradesh in which Rs.32,78,469/-deposited in e-Filing from 1st January, 2022 to 28th February, 2022.
- Total approximately **Rs.204,82,98,577/-** deposited using Online fee in the High Court and Subordinate Courts in the State of Madhya Pradesh from the date of its start.
- Facility of Sundry deposit and other receipts has been started online in the state of Madhya Pradesh.

8. Other Online Payments :

E-payment of Court Fees in the High Court has already commenced. Also, the online payment of various deposits, court fees is made through M.P. Online KIOSK centres. Also, the facility for making online payment pertaining to court fees, RTI application, copying and other deposits is available with the website of the High Court and State Treasury Department.

> 9. Technological achievements at High Court :

- The High of Madhya Pradesh has launched the **NISARG** Smart Monitoring app to track the compliance of court orders concerning social responsibility like tree plantation, volunteering responsibilities in hospitals, water conservation etc.
- Starting of Mobile based attendance marking system (SARTHAK APP) for the officials and the employees of the High Court.
- Implementation of secured Wi-Fi Internet network at High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur and its Bench at Indore and Gwalior.
- Integration of Land Records database with CIS software under "ease of doing business" project.
- High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur on 1st March, 2021 has launched "**Mobile app**" for all the respective stake holders. The mobile app is compatible with both android and iOS operating system.
- Till 28th February, 2022 more than <u>51,552</u> downloads of the mobile app have been made by the users.
- Virtual hearing of cases and functioning in less paper mode is successfully carried out at High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur and Bench at Indore & Gwalior.

- Pagination Software.
- Dashboard & Auto Electronic Mail System.
- Integration of e-Court Services with Lok Sewa Kendra (LSK) of the State Government.
- The District Court Reporting System.
- Customized web conferencing solution for the High Court and District Courts.
- High Court of Madhya Pradesh emphasize its desire for establishing Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) based Video conferencing solution for 1200 initial Licenses names user host Licenses with further rate contract for 500 licences. Development of Document Management System Software for file tracking and compliance of Orders.
- Implementation of ILR software.

- Integration of MP ILR series with SCC online software.
- Implementation of MPSJA/JOTI Journal.
- Implementation of Employees Information System of High Court.
- Implementation of Online Right to Information (RTI).

- Development of Facilitation Counter.
- Centralized Filing & Service Centre.
- Implementation & Development of e-Memo System.
- E-Copying Module.
- Online Exam Counseling Module.
- E-Office for Advocates.

- Implementation of Digital Signatures.
- From 01-11-2017 to 28-02-2022 total 1962397 numbers of digitally signed Judgments/ Orders of the High Court were uploaded in the website of the High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur.
- From 01-01-2022 to 28-02-2022 total 93538 numbers of digitally signed Judgments/ Orders of the High Court were uploaded in the website of the High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur.
- The High Court of Madhya Pradesh has conducted approx 6,64,509 number of VC till 28th February, 2022. The District Judiciary has conducted approx 6,88,649 number of VC till 28th February, 2022.
- The High Court of Madhya Pradesh has conducted approx 64,510 number of VC from 01st January, 2022 to 28th February, 2022.

- The District Court of Madhya Pradesh has conducted approx 31,286 number of VC from 01st January, 2022 to 28th February, 2022.
- E-meetings.
- Managing Library with Support of E-Technology.
- Bilingual Official Website.
- GPS based digital Clocks.

- Enhancement in the IT and other infrastructure of Madhya Pradesh State Judicial Academy, Jabalpur.
- 10. The IT facilities at Madhya Pradesh State Legal Service Authority (MPSLSA) :
- To provide access to Justice at door steps, paperless work, conduct mediation proceedings, inexpensive Justice etc., Hon'ble The Chief Justice and Patron-in-Chief, MPSLSA initiated the task of connecting all Districts and Tehsils through Video Conferencing Facility.
- This task has been accomplished by installing Video Conferencing Equipment's at all District and Tehsil Levels.

• In each District and Tehsil, the MPSLSA has installed KIOSK Machines that providing the facility to Litigants for seeking information of their pending cases. It also provides facility to access all schemes, activities and programmes of MPSLSA.

> 11. Inter office Video Conferencing System :

Web based latest video conferencing system has been installed which facilitates quick audio visual communication between officials of the Registry for consultation regarding official matters. This optimizes timeliness in processing and also saves quality time of officers waiting for appointment.

12. IT Centre of the High Court :

IT Centre infrastructure has been enhanced in the High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur to take care of issues related to data replication, data security and mirroring of data. Proper power back-up is available on 24x7 for running of Servers to support online software applications round the clock. 2 numbers of precisian Air Conditioners and 30 KVA online UPS systems in redundancy has been installed along with power backup through dedicated DG set.

- Also, high capacity Servers and Storage Devices (SAN & NAS) has been procured by the High Court in order to take care of digitized records of High Court and Subordinate Courts in the State of M.P. and the same has been installed in the Server Room of the High Court.
- Mirroring of database has been done at State Data Centre, Bhopal, High Court of M.P, Bench at Indore and Gwalior for proper up keeping of database.
- Enhancement of Internet Leased Line to 500 MBPS from 100 MBPS dedicated in the ratio of 1:1 at High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Jabalpur.
- The SWAN Network has been installed at High Court and District Judiciary for efficient data transfer and communication purpose.
- 13. The integration of Database of High Court of M.P, Jabalpur and its Bench at Indore and Gwalior :
- The integration of Database of High Court of M.P. principal Seat Jabalpur and its Benches Indore and Gwalior has been completed and newly integrated CMIS software is functional from 05th October, 2017.
- The deployment of new database and software of Case Management Information System (CMIS) of High Court of M.P., Jabalpur and its Benches at Indore and Gwalior has been carried on centrally on the latest state of the art high capacity servers at Jabalpur. This is helping in instant availability of information at Central location Jabalpur.