

# Orientation Course for Newly Elevated High Court Justices [P-1426]

7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> December 2024

National Judicial Academy

Saturday	Day 1 7 <sup>th</sup> December, 2024	Resource Persons
10:30 AM to 12:00 PM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session 1</b> <b>Scope of Writ Jurisdiction of the High Court under Article 226</b></p> <p><b><u>Proposed scope of discussion:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Origin of Writ Jurisdiction &amp; its Evolving Dimensions</li><li>• Principles of “Proportionality” &amp; “Reasonableness”</li><li>• Constitutional validity of State Actions <i>vis a vis</i> “Manifest Arbitrariness”</li><li>• Procedural Fairness and Principles of Natural Justice</li></ul>	Justice P. Sam Koshy Justice Girish S. Kulkarni Justice C.V. Karthikeyan
12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	<b>Tea Break</b>	
12:30 PM to 02:00 PM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session 2</b> <b>Limits of Writ Jurisdiction of the High Court under Article 226</b></p> <p><b><u>Proposed scope of discussion:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dealing with Factual Issues – Title, Possession, Ownership</li><li>• Remedies against “Private Persons” by Constitutional Courts – Scope &amp; Limits</li><li>• Judicial Interference in Policy Matters - Scope &amp; Permissible Extent</li><li>• Contractual Matters, Compensation and Damages</li><li>• Territorial Application</li></ul>	Justice P. Sam Koshy Justice Girish S. Kulkarni Justice C.V. Karthikeyan
02:00 PM - 03:00 PM	<b>Lunch</b>	
03:00 PM to 04:30 PM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session 3</b> <b>Enhancing Court Efficiency, Access to Justice and User-Friendliness through Digital Transformation</b></p> <p><b><u>Proposed scope of discussion:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Best Practices in Software System at High Court Level</li><li>• Paperless Courts &amp; E-Filing</li><li>• Citizens' Diverse Needs and Digital Literacy Levels</li><li>• Gaps in Public Technological Infrastructure</li><li>• Court &amp; Case Management Tools- NJDG, CIS, JustIS Mobile App</li><li>• System Integration: NIC, ICJS, CCTNS, CIS</li></ul>	Justice Girish S. Kulkarni Justice C.M. Joshi
04:30 PM	<b>Tea Break</b>	

Sunday	<b>Day 2</b> <b>8<sup>th</sup> December 2024</b>	<b>Resource Persons</b>
10:00 AM to 11:30 AM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session 4</b> <b>Scope of Jurisdiction of the High Court under Article 227</b></p> <p><b><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scope of Judicial Review under Article 227</li> <li>• Existence of Alternative Remedy and Exercise of Power under Article 227</li> <li>• Scope of Administrative Power under Article 227</li> </ul>	<b>Justice Subhasis Talapatra</b> <b>Justice Devan Ramachandran</b>
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Tea Break</b>	
12:00 PM to 01:30 PM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session 5</b> <b>Fundamental Rights &amp; Free Speech</b></p> <p><b><u>Proposed Scope of discussion</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jurisdiction in Digital Age</li> <li>• Evolving Concept of “Defamation”</li> <li>• Digital Platforms: Public Highway or Private Field? – Impact on Constitutional Right</li> </ul>	<b>Justice Subhasis Talapatra</b> <b>Justice Devan Ramachandran</b>
01:30 PM - 01:45 PM	<b>Feedback by Participants</b>	
01:45 PM	<b>Lunch &amp; Departure</b>	

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