

**HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH**  
(Office of the Registrar General at Jammu)

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**Subject: Hon'ble the Chief Justice has been pleased to issue the following roster for the High Court of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh for the period commencing 1<sup>st</sup> May to 17<sup>th</sup> June, 2023.**

**SRINAGAR WING**

**DIVISION BENCHES**

Bench No.	Hon'ble Judge(s) Constituting Benches.	Subject matter assigned to the Bench.
DB-I	<p align="center">HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE &amp; HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MOKSHA KHAJURIA KAZMI</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) All PIL matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing of both wings.</li> <li>2) All Criminal matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>3) All LPAs (Fresh/Before Notice) of both wings.</li> <li>4) All LPAs for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>5) All Tax matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>6) All Writ Petitions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>7) High Value Commercial (&gt;Rs. 500 Crores) matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>8) All Judicial Service matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>9) All Division Bench Civil Matters.</li> <li>10) Contempt matters arising out of the assigned matters.</li> </ol>



**SRINAGAR WING****SINGLE BENCHES**

S. No.	Hon'ble Judge(s) Constituting the Bench(s).	Subject matter assigned to the Bench.
SB-I	HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE (For Friday only)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) All Arbitration Matters u/s 11(6) of the Arbitration Act of both wings for Admission, orders &amp; Hearing of both wing.</li> <li>2) Any matter required to be heard by the Chief Justice.</li> <li>3) Contempt matters arising out of the assigned matters.</li> </ol>
SB-II	HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TASHI RABSTAN (4 <sup>th</sup> June to 17 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Fresh Writ Petitions for Admission and Orders.</li> <li>2) All Writ Petitions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>3) All Arbitration matters except Petitions U/s 11(6) of the Arbitration Act for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>4) All Writs of Criminal nature including assigned Habeas Corpus Petitions.</li> <li>5) All Civil Revisions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>6) Civil matters of Original Jurisdiction for Admission, Orders and Hearing relating to the following subjects: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Election Petitions</li> <li>b) Company matters</li> <li>c) Testamentary cases</li> <li>d) Original Suits</li> <li>e) Execution matters</li> </ol> </li> <li>7) Civil (final hearing matters)</li> <li>8) Transfer matters from any Single Bench.</li> <li>9) All Executions Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>10) All RERA Appeals &amp; other Statutory Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>11) All First Appeals from Orders (Misc. Appeals) for Admissions, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>12) Fresh and Assigned Habeas Corpus Matters.</li> <li>13) All declined matters of SB-III, SB-IV, SB-V, SB-VI, SB-VII, SB-VIII &amp; SB-IX.</li> <li>14) Contempt matters arising out of the assigned matters.</li> <li>15) Specially ordered matters.</li> </ol>
SB-III	HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJEEV KUMAR (1 <sup>st</sup> May to 3 <sup>rd</sup> June, 2023)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Fresh Writ Petitions for Admission and Orders.</li> <li>2) All Writ Petitions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>3) All Arbitration matters except Petitions U/s 11(6) of the Arbitration Act for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>4) All Writs of Criminal nature including assigned Habeas Corpus Petitions.</li> <li>5) All Civil Revisions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>6) Civil matters of Original Jurisdiction for Admission, Orders and Hearing relating to the following subjects: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Election Petitions</li> <li>b) Company matters</li> <li>c) Testamentary cases</li> <li>d) Original Suits</li> <li>e) Execution matters</li> </ol> </li> <li>7) Civil (final hearing matters)</li> <li>8) Transfer matters from any Single Bench.</li> <li>9) All Executions Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> </ol>

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SB-IV	HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJNESH OSWAL	<p>1) Fresh Writ Petitions for Admission and Orders.</p> <p>2) All Petitions under Article 227 of the Constitution of India.</p> <p>3) All Writ Petitions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</p> <p>4) Criminal matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing relating to the following subjects:</p> <p>a) Criminal Appeals.</p> <p>b) Bail Applications.</p> <p>c) All Writs of Criminal nature including assigned Habeas Corpus Petitions.</p> <p>d) Criminal Transfer Application.</p> <p>e) Criminal Revisions.</p> <p>f) Petition U/s 482 CrPC</p> <p>5) All Transfer applications u/s 24 CPC.</p> <p>6) All First Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</p> <p>7) All Second Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</p> <p>8) All declined matters of SB-II, SB-III, SB-V, SB-VI, SB-VII, SB-VIII &amp; SB-IX.</p> <p>9) Contempt matters arising out of the assigned matters.</p> <p>10) Specially ordered matters.</p>
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SB-IX	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE WASIM SADIQ NARGAL</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Fresh Writ Petitions for Admission and Orders.</li> <li>2) Fresh and Assigned Habeas Corpus Matters.</li> <li>3) All Petitions under Article 227 of the Constitution of India.</li> <li>4) All Writ Petitions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>5) All Transfer applications u/s 24 CPC.</li> <li>6) All First Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>7) All Second Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>8) All First Appeals from Orders (Misc. Appeals) for Admissions, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>9) Transfer matters from any Single Bench.</li> <li>10) All declined matters SB-II, SB-III, SB-IV, SB-V, SB-VI, SB-VII &amp; SB-VIII.</li> <li>11) Contempt matters arising out of the assigned matters.</li> <li>12) Specially ordered matters.</li> </ol>



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SB-III	HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAVED IQBAL WANI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Fresh Writ petitions for admission and orders.</li> <li>2) All Writ Petitions for admission, orders and hearing.</li> <li>3) All Arbitration matters except Petitions U/s 11(6) of the Arbitration Act for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>4) All Petitions under Article 227 of the Constitution of India.</li> <li>5) All Transfer applications u/s 24 CPC.</li> <li>6) Civil matters of Original Jurisdiction for Admission, Orders and Hearing relating to the following subjects: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Election Petitions</li> <li>b) Company matters</li> <li>c) Testamentary cases</li> <li>d) Original Suits</li> <li>e) Execution matters</li> </ol> </li> <li>7) All First Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> <li>8) All Second Appeals for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</li> </ol>

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SB-IV	HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MOHD. AKRAM CHOWDHARY	<p>1) Criminal matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing relating to the following subjects:</p> <p>a) Criminal Appeals.</p> <p>b) Bail Applications.</p> <p>c) All Writs of Criminal nature including assigned Habeas Corpus Petitions.</p> <p>d) Criminal Transfer Application.</p> <p>e) Criminal Revisions.</p> <p>f) Petition U/s 482 CrPC</p> <p>2) All Civil Revisions for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</p> <p>3) Land Acquisition and Requisition matters for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</p> <p>4) All Civil Contempt matters other than those provided elsewhere for Admission, Orders and Hearing.</p> <p>5) Contempt matters arising out of the assigning matters.</p> <p>6) Specially ordered matters.</p>
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- Note 1: Hon'ble Judges in Division Bench shall take up their assigned Single Bench cases, if any, after finishing Division Bench cases.
- Note 2: In respect of matters not covered by the subjects allocated special order must be obtained from Hon'ble the Chief Justice.
- Note 3: Criminal conviction appeals, in which accused is/are in custody, shall be taken up by the Bench on priority.
- Note 4: Mention for listing of urgent matters in the two wings of the Hon'ble High Court shall be made before the Benches dealing with the assigned roster. However, where the same roster is held by two or more Hon'ble Judges, then memos shall be placed for orders before the senior most Hon'ble Judge.
- Note 5: If request for urgent listing/hearing of case(s) is allowed, the same shall be listed in the Supplementary Cause List. Caveat, if any, filed shall be distinctively mentioned in the Regular/Supplementary Cause List.
- Note 6: Cases involving Senior Citizens (60 plus) as party or parties thereto and old cases filed up to the year 2010, shall be listed on priority. Registrar Judicial shall give them due preference under the caption "Senior Citizens' Cases" & "Old Cases" respectively.
- Note 7: Special Bench(s), if any constituted in addition to the Roster Benches, shall be convened in second half of the Friday.
- Note 8: If the listed matters related to personal liberties are not taken up for any reason in first half of the day in that event these matters shall be taken up by the concerned Benches at the beginning of the post lunch-session as per the convenience of the concerned roster bench.



- Note 9: First ten cases in the list before the Bench(s) shall not be ordinarily adjourned.
- Note 10: To ensure disposal of old cases pending up to the year 2002 in both the wings of the High Court, it is impressed upon both the Registrars Judicial to list 10 cases each before every Single Benches commencing from the week commencing 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2022. In the event these cases remain pending on the said date, same shall be kept on board till these cases are disposed of.
- Note 11: Declined matters of the Benches shall be listed before other available Roster Benches.
- Note 12: Five final hearing matters shall be listed per day before each bench in chronological order as per the roster.
- Note 13: The urgency memo may be placed to the senior-most Judge holding the Court singly as per Roster.

**By Order**

*[Signature]*  
26.04.23  
**(Shahzad Azeem)**  
**Registrar General**

**Dated: 26.04.2023**

**No: 2103-37 /RG**

**Copy to the:**

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26.04.23  
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