

HIGH COURT OF DELHI: NEW DELHI

No. **372/RG/DHC**

Dated: 28.06.2021

OFFICE ORDER

SUBJECT: SYSTEM OF HEARING OF MATTERS BEFORE DELHI DISTRICT COURTS WITH EFFECT FROM 01.07.2021.

The Hon'ble Full Court, while reviewing the existing arrangement of hearing of matters before the Delhi High Court and the District Courts in Delhi, has observed that despite there being decline in the number of Covid-19 cases in the NCT of Delhi, utmost precaution needs to be taken in view of the predicted third wave and limited availability of vaccines. Considering the threat of Delta Plus, a variant of concern (VoC), the Hon'ble Full Court has, therefore, resolved to adopt a policy of wait and watch, and to act cautiously, particularly in view of the loss of precious lives of judicial officers, advocates and court-staff.

Accordingly in continuation of this Court's Office Orders No.256/RG/DHC/2021 dated 08.04.2021, No.2/R/RG/DHC/2021 dated 19.04.2021, No. 5/R/RG/DHC/2021 dated 23.04.2021 and No. 6/R/RG/DHC/2021 dated 14.05.2021, it is ordered by the Hon'ble Full Court that all the judicial officers of the District Courts in Delhi shall take up urgent matters and 'final arguments cases' of their respective courts through video-conferencing till 23.07.2021 while the other matters shall be adjourned by them.

All the stakeholders are also advised to get themselves vaccinated at the earliest.

By Order,

Sd/-

(Manoj Jain)
Registrar General

Endst. No. **373-403/RG/DHC**

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14. The Director of Prosecution, CBI, Block No. 3, II Floor, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, Delhi.
15. The Director of Prosecution, Directorate of Prosecution, Tis Hazari, Delhi.
16. The Director General Narcotics Control Bureau, West Block, I Wing-5, Sector- 7, R.K. Puram, Delhi.
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(Hem Chandra Pandey)
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