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High court's circular Roc.No.3027/BO/r3/dated : 4 12 90

Sub :- Prisoners - Admission of Prisoners - Remand
Prisoner admitted - outside hospital - Direct
from the court without being admitted in the
Central Prison - certain difficulties reported
Instructions - issued.

Ref :- (1) High court's circular Roc.No.5547/79/rd.
dated : 4.3.80.
(2) Letter No.18743/S3/80 Dated : 9.7.80
from the Inspector General of Prisons,
Madras.

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The attention of all the Magistrate is invited to
the High court's circular issued in the above subject.

The Inspector General of Prisons has now stated
that eventhough the rules are very specific the officers or
central prisons are being called by the Registrar concerned to go
and see the remand prisoners in the hospital, who have been
admitted direct from the court and fill up their registers,
records etc, regarding the identity of the prisoners and the
cases in which the prisoners are involved. In the case of
Central Prisons, large number of remand prisoners of Central
Prisons, to go personally to these hospitals for verifications of
remand prisoners admitted direct from the courts. In the central
Prisons, there are hospital facilities with medical staff to
attend on such sick persons. Hence the Inspector General of
Prisons suggests that the Remand Prisoners who require medical
treatment may be straightaway committed to the Central prison
concerned instead of admitting them in the outside hospitals from
the court if such admitted prisoners require any specialised
treatment then they will be referred to the Government Head
quartres Hospital by the medical officers of the Prison concerned.

The matter has been considered in greater detail
by the Highcourt. In view of the difficulties experienced by the
Superintendent of Central Prisons as reported by the Inspector
General of Prisons the High Court directs that the Magistrates
should not admit any remand prisoner who is to be committed to
any Central Prison direct to the Hospital on account of any
injury or sickness.

(Sd) Janarthanan,
REGISTRAR.

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For Superintendent.