

## R.O.C.No.28935-A/2023/F1

## **CIRCULAR**

Sub: Order dated 06.08.2024 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in M.A.No.2034 of 2022 in M.A.No.1849 of 2021 in S.L.P.(Crl)No.5191 of 2021 – Directions issued – Placed before the Hon'ble the Acting Chief Justice – Committee for "Ensuring the Implementation of the Decisions of the Apex Court" constituted and meeting convened on 24.09.2024 – Resolution passed – Circular issued.

- Ref: 1. Order dated 06.08.2024 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in M.A.No.2034 of 2022 in M.A.No.1849 of 2021 in S.L.P.(Crl)No.5191 of 2021.
  - 2. Minutes of the meeting of the Hon'ble Committee for "Ensuring the Implementation of the Decisions of the Apex Court", dated 24.09.2024.

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The Hon'ble Committee for "Ensuring the Implementation of the Decisions of the Apex Court" in the meeting held on 24.09.2024, has discussed the Standard Operating Procedures as enunciated by the Hon'ble Supreme Court relating to both Under Trial Prisoners and Convicted Prisoners and the Hon'ble Committee has urged that the copies of the bail orders passed by the Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu and Union Territory of Puducherry should be forwarded to the respective Superintendent of Prisons in each District and it is informed that the Central Prison maintains a Network with the Sub Jails and a database of Prisoners, and therefore when a bail order is communicated, steps could be taken to ensure that if an Under Trial Prisoner is not released within a period of seven days, then the Jail Authorities can inform the Secretary, District Legal Services Authority of the District concerned.

Therefore, it is hereby informed that the Principal District Judges and Chief Judicial Magistrates in the State of Tamil Nadu and Union Territory of Puducherry, are directed to communicate the bail order passed by the respective Courts to the Central Prison in the respective Districts, with an instruction to communicate them to the Sub Jail(s), if the Under Trial Prisoner is incarcerated in any Sub Jail.

## HIGH COURT, MADRAS DATED:24.10.2024

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To:

1. All the Principal District Judges/District Judges in the State of Tamil Nadu.

2. The Principal Judge, City Civil Court, Chennai.

- 3. The Chief Judge, Court of Small Causes, Chennai.
- 4. The Chief Judge, Puducherry.

5. The District Judge, Karaikal.

6. The Member Secretary, Tamil Nadu State Legal Services Authority, Chennai.

7. The Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, R.A.Puram, Chennai-28. (with a request to communicate the Circular to Regional centres in Coimbatore and Madurai.)

8. The Court Manager, High Court, Madras (with a request to communicate the Circular to all the Court Managers in Tamil Nadu and Puducherry through e-mode.)

9. The Section Officer, "F" section, Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

10. The Record Keepers, A.D. Records, High Court, Madras & Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.