

**OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE, SONITPUR  
AT TEZPUR**

**ORDER**

As per Assam State Disaster Management Authority, Govt. of Assam order No. ASDMA.28/2021/199, dated 27-07-2021, in regard to relaxation of Curfew in the District of Sonitpur and Biswanath and in accordance with Hon'ble Gauhati High Court Notification No. 61, dated 09-07-2021, all the Courts under Sonitpur District Judiciary are hereby directed to resume limited Court functioning **with full staff attendance**, w.e.f. **28-07-2021** and the following categories of cases may be taken up:

**District & Sessions Judge/Addl. District & Sessions Judge**

- Hearing of Bail Application u/s 438/ 439 of Cr.P.C.
- Criminal Revision/Criminal Appeals.
- Recording of evidence in cases where sitting/former MPs/MLAs are accused persons.
- Recording of statement of accused persons u/s 313 of Cr.P.C. by invoking sub-section (5) of Section 313 Cr.P.C.
- Recording of evidence of M.O./I.O./Judicial Magistrates through video conferencing.
- Succession Matters.
- Civil Appeals.
- Submission of Examination-in-chief on affidavit.
- Cross examination of witnesses before Advocate Commissioner by maintaining Covid-19 protocols.
- Injunction Matters.
- Arbitration Matters.
- Arguments.

**Family Courts**

- Civil and Criminal Execution cases.
- Maintenance *pendente lite* cases.
- Petitions seeking interim maintenance.
- Enhancement/reduction/cancellation of maintenance allowance cases.

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- Withdrawal/compromise petitions.
- Cases relating to u/s 125 Cr.P.C.
- Submission of Examination-in-chief on affidavit.
- Cases fixed for framing of issues.

#### **Chief Judicial Magistrate/Addl. Chief Judicial Magistrate/JMFC**

- Bail Applications
- Zimma Petition
- Recording of evidence in cases where sitting/former MPs/MLAs are accused persons.
- Recording of statement of accused persons u/s 313 of Cr.P.C. by invoking sub-section (5) of Section 313 Cr.P.C.
- Maintenance Applications.
- Application for Protection order under the Protection of women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005.
- Recording of statements u/s 164 of Cr.P.C. of the victims and confession of statements of the accused persons.
- Recording of evidence of M.O./I.O. through video conferencing.
- Submission of examination-in-chief on affidavits in cases u/s 138 of NI Act.
- Cases at the stage of arguments.

#### **Principal Magistrate (Juvenile Justice Board)**

- Bail Applications
- Zimma Petition
- Application for preliminary assessment of CCL
- Cases at the stage of arguments.

#### **Civil Judge/Munsiff**


- Title Appeals/Misc. Appeals
- Miscellaneous Applications filed under various provisions of Code of Civil Procedure
- Injunction Matters
- Execution Matters where urgent stay is required
- Submission of examination-in-chief on affidavits
- Cases at the stage of arguments

- Cross examination of witnesses before Advocate Commissioner by maintaining Covid-19 protocols.

The concerned Presiding Officers may hear / take up any other item, not included above, which is deemed to be of utmost importance and urgency.

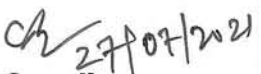
This order shall come into force from **28-07-2021** and will remain in force until further order(s).

Inform all concerned.

  
**(C. B. Gogoi)**  
District and Sessions Judge,  
Sonitpur, Tezpur

Memo No: DJ (S) 2557-2569 Dated: Tezpur, the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of July, 2021  
Copy to:

1. The Addl. District and Sessions Judge, Sonipur, Tezpur.
2. The Addl. District and Sessions Judge, FTC, Biswanath Chariali.
3. The Addl. District and Sessions Judge, FTC, Sonipur, Tezpur.
4. The Civil Judge & Asstt. Sessions Judge, Sonitpur, Tezpur.
5. The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Sonitpur, Tezpur. He is requested to communicate all the Judicial Officers under his jurisdiction.
6. The Secretary, DLSA, Sonitpur, Tezpur.
7. The Munsiff No. 1, Sonitpur, Tezpur.
8. The Munsiff No. 2, Sonitpur, Tezpur.
9. The President/Secretary, Tezpur Bar Association, Sonitpur, Tezpur.
10. The System Officer, Sonitpur, Tezpur. He is requested to upload the order in the official website of the District Judiciary.
11. All Staff of Sonitpur District Judiciary.
12. Notice Board.
13. Office File.

  
**(C. B. Gogoi)**  
District and Sessions Judge,  
Sonitpur, Tezpur