NO. THATTORE 5692

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CIRCULAR NO. 521

Certain cases have come to the notice where the directions of the court had not been complied within the periods stipulated in the judgements. On scrutiny of such cases, it has been found that one of the major reasons responsible for such delays was that either the concerned nodal officers or their designated representatives had not attended the court hearings, thereby, not knowing anything about the directions of the court during that hearing or if the hearings were attended by any official, then, he had not taken pains to record the directions of the court and apprise the concerned officers of the same so that they could initiate immediate necessary action.

In this context, specific attention is invited to detailed directions repeatedly issued vide various circulars cited in the margin where specific instructions had been repeatedly issued to the designated nodal officers to ensure personal attendance during all court hearings and proper laision with panel lawyers for effective defence of the court cases as well as for prompt follow-up action upon the directions/judgements of the courts. But, somehow, these departmental directions are not being followed meticuleusly.

It is, therefore, once again emphasised that all HOD & EEs/Dy.Directors should ensure that either they themselves attend the court hearings besides maintaining close laision with Panel Lawyers or in case it is not possible for them to personally attend the hearings then they must specifically assign this responsibility to some responsible official under their control. The officer attending the court hearings must in writing apprise EE/DD about the outcome of the court hearing and the directions of the court, if any, so that immediate necessary action in

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compliance of the court orders could be initiated by them without any further delay.

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These instructions should be scrupulously followed so that the department does not face any embarrassing situations unnecessarily on this account.

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