

THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

No. 1163 /MIT-II

Dated: 30.09.2025

To,

The Learned District & Sessions Judges, (All in Sindh)

SUBJECT: MINUTES OF 53RD NJPMC MEETING HELD ON 11.07.2025

With reference to the subject noted above, I am enclosing herewith the minutes of 53rd NJPMC meeting held on 11.07.2025 and 54th NJPMC meeting dated 18.08.2025, which were placed before the Hon’ble Acting Chief Justice and after perusal following directions were issued.

Decisions of NJPMC	Direction of Hon’ble Acting Chief Justice
<p>Agenda Item No. 4 <u>Timelines for Disposal of Different Categories of cases.</u></p> <p>The Committee considered the timelines suggested by the High Courts for disposal of various categories of cases and decided that each High Court shall prescribe timelines for disposal of 13 specified categories of cases, as per list below under intimation to NJPMC Secretariat within 30 days, for monitoring and performance evaluation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. Declaratory Suit (Land Disputes)ii. Declaratory Suit (Inheritance Disputes).iii. Injunction Suit (Land Disputes)iv. Recovery Suit (Public Revenue/ Money Matters)v. Specific Performance (Contract Enforcement)vi. Rent Casesvii. Family Suit (Dissolution/ Dower / Maintenance / Guardianship)viii. Succession Casesix. Execution Petitionsx. Criminal Trial (Juvenile Offenders - JJSA - 2018)xi. Criminal Trial (Punishment up to 7 years)xii. Criminal Trial (Punishment above 7 years)xiii. Labour Cases	<p>The approved Timeline for disposal of different categories of cases was circulated earlier. However, NJPMC in its 54th meeting has approved <u>NEW TIMELINES</u> for disposal of different categories of cases, which is available at Flag-L may be circulated amongst the Learned District & Sessions Judges, Presiding Officers of Labour Courts and Learned Chairman / Member Sindh Labour Appellate Tribunal.</p>

You are, therefore, required to ensure compliance of above directions of Hon’ble Acting Chief Justice in its letter and spirit.

(HALEEM AHMED)

I/c MEMBER INSPECTION TEAM-II

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Timelines for Different Category of Cases for Quick Disposal

Sr. No.	Categories	Timlines
1	Declaratory Suit (Land Disputes)	24 Months
2	Declaratory Suit (Inheritance Disputes)	12 Months
3	Injunction Suit (Land Disputes)	6 Months
4	Recovery Suit (Public Revenue / Money Matters)	12 Months
5	Specific Performance (Contract Enforcement)	18 Months
6	Rent Cases	06 Months
7	Family Suit (Dissolution/Dower/Maintenance/Guardianship)	06 Months
8	Succession Cases (Uncontested)	02 Months
9	Execution Petitions / Family Court Decree	06 Months
	Execution Petitions / Banking Court Decree	12 Months
	Execution Petitions / Civil Court Decree	12 Months
	Execution Petitions / Rent Matters	03 Months
10	Criminal Trial (Juvenile Offenders-JJSA, 2018)	06 Months
	Criminal Trial (Punishment up to 7 years)	12 Months
	Criminal Trial (Punishment above 7 years)	18 Months
	Criminal Trial (Murder)	24 Months
11	Labour Cases	06 Months