

PROFORMA-I

STATEMENT OF WORK DONE BY THE HIGH COURT OF SIKKIM DURING THE QUARTER YEAR ENDING ON 31/12/2023

Description of cases	Cases pending at the beginning of the quarter year	Institution during the quarter year	Disposal during the quarter year					Total	Number of cases in which Judgments Reserved & pending				Cases pending at the end of the quarter year
			At Preliminary hearing	By a Single Judge	By Division Bench	By Full Bench	By Constitution bench		Over a month and less than two months	Over two months and less than four months	Over four months and less than six months	Over six months	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1. MAIN CASES ORIGINAL SIDE (CIVIL)													
a) Civil suits													
b) Admiralty suits													
2. Testamentary and intestate suits													
3. Insolvency Cases													
4. Liquidation Cases													
5. Chartered Accountant Act, 1949													
6. Special Jurisdiction Cases													
7. WRIT PETITIONS													
a) Service matter	12	02	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	14
b) Land Reforms													
c) Labour Laws													
d) Others	56	21	--	14	01	--	--	15	--	--	--	--	62

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8 a) Banking Regulation Act, 1949													
b) Execution, transferred and interlocutory Application under Section 45(C) of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949													
9. Company petition & Application													
a) Petitions													
b) Application in Petitions													
c) Applications in liquidation proceedings													
d) Application in company appeals													
e) Matter transferred U/S 455(3) of the Companies Act													
10. Income Tax References and applications													
11. Sales Tax References and application													
12. Other Direct and indirect Tax References and applications													
a) Gift Tax Wealth Tax and Estate Duty References and Applications													
b) Other tax Revision Cases													
c) Other Tax Reference and Applications													
13. Petitions Under Indian Arbitration Act	04	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	04
14. Matrimonial Cases and Reference													
a) Matrimonial Suits/Cases	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01
b) Matrimonial References													
c) Petitions Under Section 24 of the Hindu Marriage Act													
15. Land Acquisition Reference													
16. Election Petitions and Applications													
a) Election Petitions													
b) Applications in Election Cases													
17. Insurance Act, Reference & Applications													

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18. Motions													
a) Motion for sanction of prosecution													
b) Motion for setting aside fraudulent transfers													
c) Motion for annulment of adjudication orders													
d) Motion for setting aside Insolvency cases													
e) Notice of Motion for stay order													
19. Other Petitions and Applications													
a) Probate Civil Petitions													
b) Petitions under the Guardians & Wards Act													
c) Contempt of Court (Civil) Petitions	03	--	--	02	--	--	--	02	--	--	--	--	01
d) Cross objections	04	--	--	03	--	--	--	03	--	--	--	--	01
e) Transfer Petition (Civil)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
f) Applications for leave to sue as indigent person													
g) Execution application on the original side													
h) Special Cases under Order XXXVI of Civil Procedure Code 1908													
i) Applications under Court Fees Act, Regarding valuation of Estate													

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j) Petitions under Foreign Awards (Recognition and Enforcement Act, 1961)														
k) Petitions Application for														
i) Injunction in Original Proceedings														
ii) Appointment of Receivers in Original Proceeding														
l.) Civil Miscellaneous Case	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
20. TOTAL ORIGINAL SIDE (CRIMINAL)	80	23	--	19	01	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	83
21. High Court Sessions														
22. Writ Petitions														
a) Relating to Investigation or Trial of Criminal cases	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
23. Special Criminal Applications for Writs under the Constitution and U/S 491 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973														
24. Criminal Contempt, under the Contempt of Courts Act														
25. Others														
a) Transfer Petition (Crl.)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
b) Application U/S 482 of Criminal Procedure of 1973 or under any other corresponding provision	02	02	--	03	--	--	--	03	--	--	--	--	--	01
26. TOTAL	02	02	--	03	--	--	--	03	--	--	--	--	--	01

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APPELLATE SIDE (CIVIL)													
27. Writ Appeals													02
a) Service matters	01	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
b) Land reforms including land ceiling													
c) Labour laws													04
d) Other	04	03	--	--	03	--	--	03	--	--	--	--	
28. Letters patent Appeals													
29. First Appeals from													
a) Original Side													19**
b) Judgments	18	02*	--	01	--	--	--	01	--	--	--	--	01
c) Orders	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	08
30. Second Appeals from Judgment	07	02	--	01	--	--	--	01	--	--	--	--	
31. Miscellaneous First Appeals from													
a) Original Side													
b) Judgment													
c) Orders													
32. Miscellaneous Second Appeals from													
a) Judgment													01
b) Orders	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	03	--	--	--	--	01
33. Revision Petitions	04	--	--	03	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
34. Civil References													
35. Civil Miscellaneous Petitions under Article 227 of the Constitution													
36. Other Appeals													
a) City Civil Court Appeals													
b) Review of Judgments	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
c) Compensation, Claims and Special Appeals	05	03	--	02	--	--	--	02	--	--	--	--	06
d) Original Civil Jurisdiction Appeals													
e) Execution First Appeals													
f) Special Tribunal Appeal													
37. TOTAL	40	12	--	07	03	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	42
[*01 (One) Commercial Appeal also included]													
[**01 (One) Commercial Appeal and 02 (Two) Tax Appeals included]													

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APPELLATE SIDE (CRIMINAL)													
38. Criminal Appeals													
a) By persons convicted	27	17	--	--	02	--	--	02	--	--	--	--	42
b) By Government from Judgment of Acquittal	03	03	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	06
c) By complaint, U/S 378 (4) of Criminal Procedure Code	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01
39. Criminal Revisions	02	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	03
40. Confirmation Cases U/S 366 of Criminal Procedure Code or under any Corresponding provisions													
41. Criminal L P	01	01	--	--	02	--	--	02	--	--	--	--	--
42. Others													
a) Fresh Bail Applications pending Investigation of trial	§							§					§
b) Bail including Anticipatory Bail	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
c) Review Petition (FAM CT)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
43. TOTAL	34	22	--	--	04	--	--	04	--	--	--	--	52
GRAND TOTAL(20+26+37+43)	156	59	--	29	08	--	--	37	--	--	--	--	178

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CLASSIFICATION OF CASES PENDING AT THE END OF QUARTER YEAR ENDING ON 31/12/2023 IN TERMS OF DATE OF INSTITUTION

Description of cases	PENDING FOR											TOTAL
	Less than one year	One to two years	Two to three years	Three to four years	Four to five year	Five to six year	Six to seven year	Seven to eight year	Eight to nine year	Nine to ten year	Over ten year	
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Main Cases												
1. Original Side (Civil)												
1. suits												
a) Civil suits												
b) Admiralty suits												
2. Testamentary and intestate suits												
3. Insolvency Cases												
4. Liquidation Cases												
5. Chartered Accountant Act, 1949												
6. Special Jurisdiction Cases												
7. WRIT PETITIONS												14
a) Service matter	05	03	02	03	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	
b) Land Reforms												
c) Labour Laws												
d) Others	35	13	05	05	--	--	01	--	02	--	01	62

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11. Sales Tax References and application													
12. Other Direct and Indirect Tax References and Applications													
a) Gift Tax Wealth Tax and Estate Duty References and Applications													
b) Other tax Revision Cases													
c) Other Tax Reference and Applications													
13. Petitions Under Indian Arbitration Act	01	02	--	--	--	--	--	01	--	--	--	--	04
14. Matrimonial Cases and References													
a) Matrimonial Suits/Cases	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01
b) Matrimonial References													
c) Petitions Under Section 24 of the Hindu Marriage Act													
15. Land Acquisition Reference													
16. Election Petitions and Applications													
a) Election Petitions													
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e) Notice of Motion for stay order													
19. Other Petitions and Applications													
a) Probate Civil Petitions													
b) Petitions under the Guardians & Wards Act													
c) Contempt of Court (Civil) Petitions	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01
d) Cross Objections	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01
e) Transfer Petition (Civil)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
f) Applications for leave to sue as indigent person													
g) Execution application on the original side													
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k) Petitions Application for													
i) Injunction in Original Proceedings													
ii) Appointment of Receivers in Original Proceeding													
l.) Civil Miscellaneous Case	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
20. TOTAL	43	19	07	08	--	01	01	01	02	--	01	83	

ORIGINAL SIDE (CRIMINAL)													
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25. Others													
a) Transfer Petition (Crl.)													
b) Application U/S 482 of Criminal Procedure Code of 1973 or under any other corresponding provision	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01	
26. TOTAL	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01	



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APPELLATE SIDE (Civil)												
27. Writ Appeals												02
a) Service matters	01	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
b) Land reforms including land ceiling												
c) Labour laws												
d) Other	03	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	04
28. Letters patent Appeals												
29. First Appeals												
a) From Original Side												
b) From Judgments	07	03	--	02	06	01	--	--	--	--	--	19*
c) From Orders	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01
30. Second Appeals from Judgment	03	01	01	03	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	08
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a) From Original Side												
b) From Judgment												
c) From Orders												
32. Miscellaneous Second Appeals												
a) From Judgment												01
b) From Orders	01											01
33. Revision Petitions	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
34. Civil References												
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36. Other Appeals												
a) City Civil Courts Appeals												
b) Review of Judgments	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
c) Compensation, Claims and Special Appeals	05	--	--	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	06
d) Original Civil Jurisdiction Appeals												
e) Execution First Appeals												
f) Special Tribunal Appeal												
37. TOTAL	21	07	01	05	07	01	--	--	--	--	--	42
[*02 (Two) Tax Appeals and 01 (One) Commercial Appeal included]												

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APPELLATE SIDE (CRIMINAL)												
38. Criminal Appeals												42
a) By persons convicted	33	07	02	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	06
b) By Government from Judgment of Acquittal	05	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	01
c) By complaint, U/S 378 (4) of Criminal Procedure Code	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	03
39. Criminal Revisions	02	--	--	--	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	
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c) Review Petition (FAM CT)	--	--	--	--	--	01	--	--	--	--	--	52
43. TOTAL	40	09	02	--	--	01	01	01	02	--	01	178
GRAND TOTAL (20+26+37+43)	105	35	10	13	07	03	01	01	02	--	01	



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STATEMENT OF JUDGE STRENGTH OF THE HIGH COURT OF SIKKIM DURING THE QUARTER YEAR ENDING ON 31/12/2023

ACTUAL STRENGTH OF JUDGES

Sanctioned strength of Judges	No of Judges entrusted with court work only	No. of Judges entrusted with other work exclusively	TOTAL	No. of Court working days	Total number of Judge days
03	03	-	03	32	32

1. 22.10.2023 to 05.11.2023: Durga Puja Vacation.
2. 11.11.2023 to 19.11.2023: Diwali Vacation.
3. 12.12.2023: Declared holiday vide Notification No. 43/HCS dated 22.11.2023.
4. 13.12.2023 to 31.12.2023: Christmas & Losoong/Namsoong Vacation.

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