

HIGH COURT OF MADRAS - PRINCIPAL SEAT @ MADRAS**SITTING ARRANGEMENT - From 13.08.2018**

Sl.No	HON'BLE JUDGES	SUBJECTS
1	The Hon'ble Chief Justice and M.Duraiswamy, J	Public Interest Litigations relating to Rights of Women All Criminal Appeals and other Criminal Cases to be heard by a Division Bench – including Crime Against Women (All Stages) Appeals arising out of Orders/Judgments of the Central Administrative Tribunal
1a	M.Duraiswamy, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Writ Petitions which are ready for hearing irrespective of classification - of the year 2010
2	Huluvadi G.Ramesh, J and K.Kalyanasundaram, J	Public Interest Litigations relating to Mines and Minerals, Unauthorised Construction and Land Encroachment Writ Appeals/Appeals/Writ Petitions to be heard by a Division Bench relating to Mines and Minerals, Unauthorised construction and Land Encroachment, Municipalities, Panchayats, other Local Authorities (All Stages) Writ Appeals relating to Service - except Judicial Service - of the year 2018 (All Stages) Writ Appeals relating to Education, Industries and Forests (All Stages) Writ Appeals not assigned to any other Division Bench (All Stages) Income Tax Appeals and Writ Appeals relating to Income Tax - of the year 2018 - (All Stages)
2a	K.Kalyanasundaram, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Writ Petitions - which are ready for hearing irrespective of classification - of the years 2011 and 2012
3	S.Manikumar, J and Subramonium Prasad, J	Public Interest Litigations relating to Rights of Senior Citizens, Rights of Disabled and and Rights of Children Public Interest Litigations not assigned to any other Division Bench Writ Appeals relating to Labour (All Stages)
3a	S.Manikumar, J	Cases relating to Administrator General and Official Trustee
3b	Subramonium Prasad, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Writ Petitions which are ready for hearing irrespective of classification - of the year 2009, as per Provisional List
4	K.K.Sasidharan, J and R.Subramanian, J	All First Miscellaneous Appeals (including Appeals arising from Motor Accident Claims Tribunal) - All Stages) All First Appeals to be heard by a Division Bench - upto the year 2014 - (All Stages)
4a	R.Subramanian, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Second Appeals - from the year 2008 to 2011 (All Stages)

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5	M.Venugopal, J and S.Ramathilagam, J	Writ Petitions/Civil Revision Petitions relating to the decisions of Debt Recovery Tribunals and Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal. Writ Petitions to be heard by a Division Bench and Writ Appeals relating to Judicial Service and Service of Court Employees, including High Court Employees, Writ Petitions/Writ Appeals filed by or against the High Court Original Side Appeals other than Appeals to be heard by Commercial Appellate Division – upto the year 2016
5a	S.Ramathilagam, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Appeals from Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal to be heard by a Single Bench - (upto the year 2007) - All Stages
6	R.Subbiah, J and R.Pongiappan, J	Writ Petitions to be heard by a Division Bench not specifically assigned to any other Division Bench (All Stages) Writ Appeals / Appeals / Writ Petitions to be heard by a Division Bench relating to Land Acquisition, Land Ceiling, Land Reforms and other Land Laws (All Stages) Criminal Contempt and Appeals relating to Orders in Contempt Proceedings (All Stages) Commercial Appellate Division Appeals from Commercial Division of High Court (other than Admiralty, Arbitration and Intellectual Property Matters) Commercial Appellate Division Appeals from Commercial Courts, to be heard by Division Bench, First Appeals and First Miscellaneous Appeals Second Appeals and Second Miscellaneous Appeals to be heard by a Division Bench (All Stages)
6a	R.Pongiappan, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Old Civil Miscellaneous Appeals, as per Provisional List
7	M.Sathyanarayanan, J and N.Seshasayee, J	Commercial Appellate Division Appeals from Commercial Division of High Court relating to Admiralty, Arbitration and Intellectual Property Matters
7a	M.Sathyanarayanan, J	After Division Bench work - Old Civil Revision Petitions and Specially Ordered Cases
7b	N.Seshasayee, J	After Division Bench work - First Appeals filed under Order 41, Rule 1 of the Civil Procedure Code(All Stages) First Appeals relating to Land Acquisition First Miscellaneous Appeals (Except Motor Accident Claims Tribunal Cases) and Second Miscellaneous Appeals to be heard by a Single Bench (All Stages) - from the year 2015

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8	C.T.Selvam, J and M.Nirmal Kumar, J	Habeas Corpus Petitions (All Stages) Writ Appeals relating to Service - except Judicial Service - upto the year 2017 (All Stages) Writ Petitions relating to Service, to be heard by a Division Bench (except Judicial Service)
8a	M.Nirmal Kumar, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Old Criminal Original Petitions, as per Provisional List
9	N.Kirubakaran, J and S.Baskaran, J	Original Side Appeals not assigned to any other Bench, including Appeals arising out of Interlocutory Orders passed on the Original Side of the High Court (All Stages) All First Appeals to be heard by a Division Bench - from the year 2015 - (All Stages)
9a	S.Baskaran, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - Civil Revision Petitions - of the years 2013 and 2014 - (All Stages), as per Provisional List
10	T.S.Sivagnanam, J and V.Bhavani Subbaroyan, J	Income Tax Appeals and Writ Appeals relating to Income Tax - upto the year 2017 (All Stages) Appeals relating to Tax Matters, other than Income Tax to be heard by a Division Bench (All Stages) Writ Appeals and Appeals relating to Tax Cases to be heard by a Division Bench which are not assigned to any other Division Bench Appeals / Writ Appeals relating to decisions of Tribunals other than Central Administrative Tribunal
10a	V.Bhavani Subbaroyan, J	Whenever Division Bench is not sitting - First Miscellaneous Appeals (except Appeal arising from Motor Accident Claims Tribunal and Second Miscellaneous Appeal - upto the year 2014 (All Stages)
11	K.Ravichandrababu, J	Writ Petitions - relating to Tax Matters (including Income Tax, Sales Tax, Motor Vehicle Tax, Customs and Central Excise, Prohibition and State Excise (All Stages)
12	S.Vimala, J	Writ Petitions relating to Labour (All Stages)
13	P.N.Prakash, J	Criminal Original Petitions (u/s.407 & 482 of CrI.PC), WP (Cr.PC) (All Stages) - from the year 2017
14	R.Mahadevan, J	Writ Petitions - relating to matters which are not specifically assigned to any other Bench (All Stages) - from the year 2014
15	Satrughana Pujahari, J	Writ Petitions - relating to Service (All Stages)
16	V.Bharathidasan, J	Writ Petitions relating to Municipalities, Panchayat and Local Bodies, Co-operative Societies, Motor Vehicle, Land Ceiling and Land Acquisition (All Stages) Writ Petitions - relating to the matters which are not specifically assigned to any other Bench (All Stages) - upto the year 2013

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17	D.Krishnakumar, J	Applications for setting aside of arbitral awards under Section 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 and/or Sections 30 and 33 of the Arbitration Act, 1940 including cases relating to Commercial Division in the above classification, Company Petitions and Company Appeals to be heard by a Single Bench
18	S.S.Sundar, J	Writ Petitions - relating to Education (All Stages)
19	M.V.Muralidaran, J	Appeals from Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal to be heard by a Single Bench - from the year 2015 (All Stages)
20	M.Govindaraj, J	Interlocutory Applications in Suits not ready for final hearing (except cases relating to Commercial Division) Second Appeals (All Stages) - from the years 2005 to 2007
21	M.Sundar, J	Cases relating to Commercial Division ie., Civil Suits (Commercial) - All Stages
22	R.Suresh Kumar, J	Writ Petitions which are ready for hearing irrespective of classification - upto the year 2006
23	M.S.Ramesh, J	Civil Revision Petitions (All Stages) - from the year 2015 Second Appeals (All Stages) - from the year 2012 to 2014
24	S.M.Subramaniam, J	Writ Petitions - which are ready for hearing irrespective of classification - from the year 2013 Election Petitions not assigned to any other Bench
25	Anita Sumanth, J	Civil Suits - including Undefended Suits & Framing of Issues and connected Interlocutory Applications in respect of Suits which are ready to be listed and/or are listed for final hearing - upto the year 2014 (except Commercial Division Cases) Insolvency Petitions (All Stages)
26	T.Ravindran, J	Petitions under Section 24 of Civil Procedure Code - (All Stages) Second Appeals (All Stages) - from the year 2015
27	P.Velmurugan, J	Criminal Appeals (All Stages) - from the year 2013 to 2016 Criminal Revision (All Stages) - from the year 2013 to 2016
28	RMT.Teekaa Raman, J	Criminal Appeals (relating to Crime against Women) to be heard by a Single Bench (All Stages) Criminal Appeals (All Stages) - upto the year 2012 Criminal Revision (All Stages) - upto the year 2012
29	A.D.Jagadish Chandira, J	CBI & Prevention of Corruption Act Cases (Criminal Appeals, Criminal Revisions, Criminal Original Petitions and Writ Petitions (Cr.Pc.) - (All Stages)
30	Abdul Qudhose, J	Appeals from Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal to be heard by a Single Bench - from the years 2008 to 2014 - (All Stages)

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31	M.Dhandapani, J	Criminal Original Petitions - Anticipatory Bail and Bail Criminal Appeals (All Stages) - from the year 2017 Criminal Revision (All Stages) - from the year 2017
32	P.D.Audikesavalu, J	Civil Suits - including Undefended Suits & Framing of Issues and connected Interlocutory Applications in respect of Suits which are ready to be listed and/or are listed for final hearing - from the year 2015 (except Commercial Division cases) Original Petitions (other than Arbitration matters), Testamentary Original Suits and Original Matrimonial Suits (All Stages)
33	P.Rajamanickam, J	Criminal Orignal Petitions (u/s.407 & 482 of CrI.PC), WP (Cr.PC) (All Stages) - upto the year 2016
34	R.Hemalatha, J	Second Appeals (All Stages) - upto the year 2002
35	P.T.Asha, J	Civil Revision Petitions - upto the year 2012 (All Stages) Second Appeals (All Stages) - of the years 2003 and 2004
36	C.Saravanan, J	Arbitration Matters, including petitions under Section 11, but except Applications for Setting aside of arbitral awards under Section 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 and/or Sections 30 and 33 of the Arbitration Act, 1940 including cases relating to Commercial Division in the above classification Writ Petitions which are ready for hearing irrespective of classification - of the years 2007 and 2008

Note:

- Admissions in Second Appeals and Civil Revision Petitions (except Petitions filed under Article 227 of the Constitution of India) to be taken up by a Single Bench will be listed before the Hon'ble Portfolio Judge of the District from which the Second Appeal/Civil Revision arises, if the Hon'ble Portfolio Judge is available, and if not, before the Second Hon'ble Portfolio Judge and in case neither of them is available, before the Bench as per Roster. Admissions in Second Appeals to be posted before Division Bench will be posted before a Division Bench of which the portfolio Judge or Second Portfolio Judge is a member and if no such Division Bench is available, before the Division Bench as per Roster.

- Cases should be listed chronologically as per the date of filing, unless otherwise directed having regard to exceptional urgency.

- All Writ Petitions in which the vires of any statute/statutory provision/statutory rule/statutory regulation is under challenge shall be listed before the Hon'ble First Division Bench.

- Contempt Matters relating to orders of Hon'ble Single Judges who are no longer in Office shall be heard by the Bench having determination in respect of the proceedings giving rise to the order of which violation is alleged.

- Review Applications should be posted before the Judge/Judges whose order is sought to be reviewed.

// BY ORDER OF THE HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE//