MADHYA PRADESH STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY, JABALPUR

CONFERENCE OF FAMILY COURT JUDGES

21st & 22nd July, 2023 (MPSJA, JABALPUR)

DAY	ONE:	21.07	.2023
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SESSION	TIME	TOPIC
I	9.45 am to 10.00 am	Inauguration of the Conference
		By: Hon'ble Shri Justice Sujoy Paul, Judge, High Court of M.P. & Chairman, Governing Council, MPSJA
	10.00 am to 10.30 am	Tea
II	10.30 am to 12.00 noon	Topic: Role of Family Court Gender Justice and Gender Bias: Maintaining equilibrium Approach in Divorce cases Matters related to custody and guardianship Chaired by: Hon'ble Smt. Justice Roshan Dalvi, Former Judge, Bombay High Court
BREAK (12.00 noon to 12.30 pm)		

III	12.30 pm to 4.15 pm	Topic: Counselling, conciliation & Mediation in resolving family disputes - Relevance and
	(with a Lunch Break from	importance
	1.30 pm to 2.30 pm)	Scope of discussion:
		Suitable courtroom environment to foster amicable settlement
		ADR methods in family disputes: Role of Judge
		Judge as a Counsellor
		Special communication techniques for dispute resolution
		Chaired by: Smt. Anuja Saxena,
		Std. Central Govt. Counsel Mediator, DMC
		National Trainer in Mediation MCPC
		Supreme Court of India

TEA BREAK (4.15 pm to 4.30 pm) (Screening of movie 4.30 pm to 4.40 pm)

IV	4.40 pm onwards	Topic: Challenges and constraints affecting the working of Family Courts Scope of discussion: Problems related to infrastructure Need of training of staff for sensitizing them Psychological perspectives in determining family disputes Chaired by: Hon'ble Shri Justice Vivek Agarwal,
	22.07.2022	

DAY TWO: 22.07.2023

SESSION	TIME	TOPIC
I	10.30 am to 12.00 noon	Topic: Maintenance under various laws and related burning issues
		Chaired by: Hon'ble Smt. Justice Anuradha Shukla, Judge, High Court of M. P.
		Introductory Address by Chair – 5 min
		Panel Speaker: 3-5 min each – Participants Principal Judge, Family Court
		(i) Shri Pranesh Kumar Pran, Principal District & Sessions Judge, Betul
		(ii) Shri Rakesh Kumar (Gupta), Principal Judge, Family Court, Ratlam
		(iii) Shri Kashinath Singh, Principal Judge, Family Court, Jabalpur
		(iv) Shri Atul Khandelwal, Principal Judge, Family Court, Sagar
		(v) Smt. Savita Singh, Principal Judge, Family Court, Dewas
		Open Discussion – 20 min
		Concluding remarks & Keynote Address by Chair – 10 min
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TEA BREAK (12.00 noon to 12.15 pm)

П	12.15 pm to 1.30 pm	Topic: Muslim Marriage and Laws relating to dissolution of marriage: New dimensions Chaired by: Hon'ble Shri Justice Satyendra Kumar Singh,
		(iii) Shri Puran Chandra Gupta, Principal Judge, Family Court, Betul(iv) Shri Mohammad Musa Khan, II Addl. Principal Judge, Family Court, Bhopal
		(v) Shri Shivkant, Principal Judge, Family Court, Rewa
		Open Discussion – 20 min
		Concluding remarks & Keynote Address by Chair – 10 min
		LUNCH BREAK (1.30 pm to 2.15 pm)
III	2.15 pm to 3.30 pm	 Scope of discussion: Role of lawyers in family disputes Bar Bench relationship Leadership and team building Recording of evidence through video conferencing Chaired by: Hon'ble Shri Justice Dinesh Kumar Paliwal,
IV	3.30 pm onwards	Feedback from participants Followed by reflections & valedictory By: Hon'ble Shri Justice Dinesh Kumar Paliwal, Judge, High Court of M. P.

Note:- (1) The Schedule is subject to change as per exigencies.

(2) Use of Cell Phones during Conference is strictly prohibited.