

NOTICE

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED for the information of the Advocates and the parties appearing-in-person **at the Principal Seat at Bombay** that the Single Bench presided over by the **Hon'ble Shri Justice Somasekhar Sundaresan** has issued the following directions :

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The current system of e-mail submission of appearances of advocates and counsel is facing niggling issues. Receipt of emails as attachments from each party to any proceedings, is leading to more steps to accessing the data and the opening of multiple emails and multiple attachments per matter. Therefore, a new software is being worked on to enable aggregation of data on appearances to make it more efficient.

Meanwhile, the following directions will take immediate effect:

1. Appearances will have to be given physically but in typewritten form in the following specific format:

Date: []

Serial No. on the Causelist: []

***Mr. / Ms. [],** along with *Mr./Ms. [], Mr./Ms. [] and Mr./Ms. [] – for the Petitioner / Petitioner No. [] / Applicant / Applicant No. []**

***Mr. / Ms. [],** along with *Mr./Ms. [], Mr./Ms. [] and Mr./Ms. [] – for the Respondent / Respondent No. []**

2. The appearance should be **typewritten and printed**.
3. Please use **14 point font** and **double spacing** when providing the appearances.
4. Appearances should be **handed over contemporaneously** to the Associate / Sheristedar, with the matter being called out. If there is a delay in tendering it, it should **not be later than the end of the session** during which the matter ends.
5. Appearances **not in compliance** with these directions **will not be included** in the orders. Praecipes and mentions to correct appearances that are not compliant will not be entertained.

Dated this 21st day of June 2025

By order,

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(A. H. Laddhad)
Prothonotary & Sr. Master
High Court, Original Side,
Bombay.

sd/-
(H. M. Bhosale)
Registrar (Judl-I)
High Court, Appellate Side,
Bombay.