Department of Law and Justice



DIPP Point No. 336

Question	Remarks
	This was discussed with Hon'ble
10b. Paper-less Courts	High Court of Ranchi and concluded that e-
	Committee of Supreme Court is working on
Q: Design and implement a system to allow for	enhancing the Case Information System (CIS).
e-filing for commercial disputes in District	Developing a parallel system for commercial
courts/Commercial courts	courts will not be advisable and possible at State
	level. DIPP may coordinate with e-Committee of
	Hon'ble Supreme Court and inform us of
	these points.

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Subject: Follow up of meeting held at DIPP on March 18, 2016 regarding 'Ease of Doing Business'

Sir,

With reference discussion in the meeting held at DIPP on March 18, 2016 regarding 'Ease of Doing Business', following points may need clarification and advise.

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Point No.	Reform Agenda	Remarks
41	2b. Online Single Window System Design and implement an online system for filing of EM Part I and Part II under The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006	EM Part-I and EM Part-II has been discontinued. Udhyog Aadhar portal is being maintained by Ministry of MSME and no integration is possible with Single Window portal of Jharkhand without the support and concurrence of above Ministry. DIPP may coordinate with Ministry of MSME and provide more details to us.
55	3c. Property Registration Enablers Integrate land record databases with mortgage and judicial databases to provide a full picture of encumbrances on a property	There is no legislative framework available in our country to integrate judicial database with land records maintained at Registration office. Without legal framework, it is not possible to move further in this reform agenda.
328	Establish a specialized division/bench under the High Court to hear commercial cases	High Court of Ranchi has no original jurisdictions and thus, part of this reform agenda is not applicable to Jharkhand and other similar High Courts which do not have original jurisdictions.
332	10a. Commercial Dispute Resolution Enablers Set clear timelines for examining witnesses and a court-appointed independent expert in commercial cases	Honorable Supreme Court in the case of Raj Deo Sharma Vs The State of Bihar on Sept. 22, 1999, refused to fix clear time lines for examining witnesses and thus, the implementation of this reform agenda is not possible without legislative

		framework.
336	10b. Paper-less Courts Design and implement a system to allow for e-filing for commercial disputes in District courts/Commercial courts	
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340	10b. Paper-less Courts Design and implement a system to allow for issuing digitally signed court orders in District courts/Commercial courts	

From the above discussion, reforms on above points are not possible at state level. It is, thus, requested that, above points may be removed from 340 points state level reform agenda otherwise we may be advised on these reform agenda to move further, please.

Thank you very much.

Yours sincerely,

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