

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA

NOTIFICATION

No. 1994 - RG.

Date: 30.07.2020.

It is hereby notified for information of all concerned that having regard to the prevailing situation due to outbreak of Covid-19 (corona virus), the Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court, Calcutta, upon consideration of the recommendations of the Hon'ble Committee constituted for celebration of Independence Day, has been pleased to adopt the following measures regarding observance of the **Independence Day on the 15th day of August, 2020** in the Hon'ble High Court at Calcutta:

1. The celebration of the Independence Day on 15.08.2020 will be observed upon strict adherence to the Covid-19 Protocol and Guidelines and accordingly steps have been taken for live telecasting of the Flag hoisting ceremony through YouTube ensuring participation of all.
2. The National Flag shall be hoisted by the Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court, Calcutta or the Senior most Hon'ble Judge available at 10 A.M. in the precincts of the Sesquicentenary Building of this Hon'ble Court, in presence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjib Banerjee, AD1 (if the Hon'ble the Chief Justice is present) and the Hon'ble Judges comprising the Independence Day Committee.
3. The other Hon'ble Judges with their families, Officers and Staff of this Hon'ble Court, the Learned Lawyers with their families and others are invited to witness the entire Independence Day celebration through You Tube live.
4. All other Dignitaries comprising of the Hon'ble Judges of the Supreme Court who were Judges of this Court, retired Hon'ble Judges of the Supreme Court who were Judges of this Court, Hon'ble Chief Justices of High Courts who were Judges of this Court, retired Hon'ble Chief Justices of this Court who were Judges of this Court, retired Hon'ble Chief Justices of this Court who were Judges of this Court, retired Hon'ble Judges of this Court, as per precedence, are invited to witness the entire Independence Day celebration through YouTube live considering the prevailing pandemic situation in the wake of Covid-19 (Corona Virus).

5. Both the Police and the Military bands shall be constituted by personnel and the band played, observing the strictest COVID norms as to social distancing and other applicable COVID related norms. This will be followed by the “Message” after the Flag hoisting.
6. Considering the present situation arising out of the COVID – 19 pandemic and in deference to the desire of the Hon’ble the Chief Justice, utmost financial austerity shall be observed in this year’s celebration.

By Order,

Sd/-

[Bibhas Ranjan De]

Registrar General-in-Charge.