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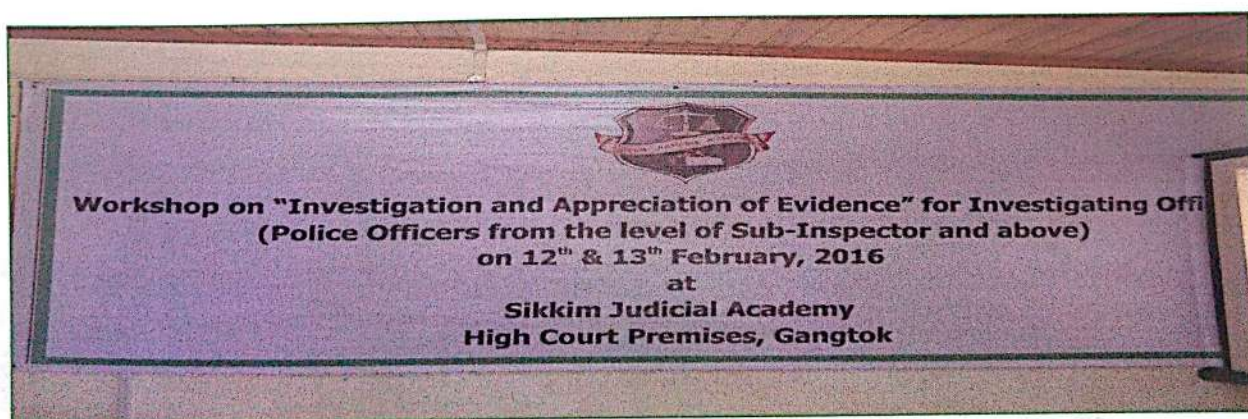
*Workshop on "Investigation and Appreciation of Evidence" for
Investigating Officers (Police Officers from the level of Sub-Inspector and above)
on 12th & 13th February, 2016
at Sikkim Judicial Academy, High Court Premises, Gangtok*

A Workshop on "Investigation and Appreciation of Evidence" for Investigating Officers (Police Officers) was organised by the Sikkim Judicial Academy on 12th and 13th February, 2016 at Sikkim Judicial Academy.

Mr. Dinesh Kumar Sharma, Director of Delhi Judicial Academy was the Resource Person. Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Meenakshi Madan Rai, Judge, High Court of Sikkim and President, Sikkim Judicial Academy, Mr. N.G. Sherpa, Registrar, High Court of Sikkim, Additional Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy were present at the programme.

The workshop focused on various procedures of investigation of cases keeping in view of the evidence admissible before the Court of law.

*Glimpses of the programme on "Investigation and Appreciation of Evidence" for
Investigating Officers (Police Officers from the level of Sub-Inspector and above)*







*A training programme on "Concepts on Local Area Networking (LAN)"
(e-Courts project oriented) for Ministerial Staff of High Court and
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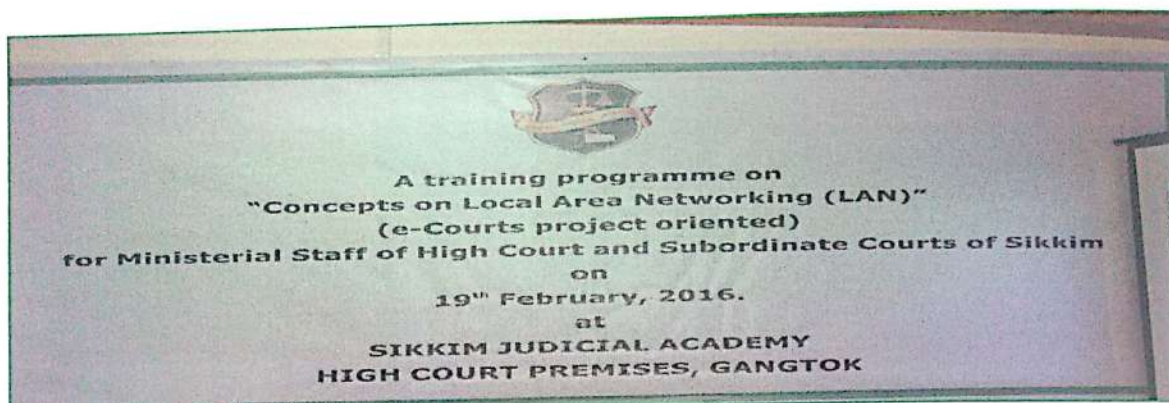
A programme on "Concepts on Local Area Networking (LAN)" (e-Courts project oriented) for Ministerial Staff of High Court and Subordinate Courts of Sikkim was organised by the Sikkim Judicial Academy on 19th February, 2016.

Mr. Rudra Rimal, Senior System Officer, High Court of Sikkim and Mr. Yoland Christopher, System Administrator, District and Sessions Court, East Sikkim were the Resource Persons.

The objective of the programme was to highlight the network protocol, architecture, application and working mechanism of networking system in the Courts. The programme focused on security issues, security threats, security services and mechanisms to counter them. It also focused on the working of network devices like hubs, switches, routers, firewalls, repeaters and gateways.

Mr. N.G. Sherpa, Registrar, High Court of Sikkim, Additional Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy was also present at the programme.

Glimpses of a training programme on "Concepts on Local Area Networking (LAN)" (e-Courts project oriented) for Ministerial Staff of High Court and Subordinate Courts of Sikkim organised by the Sikkim Judicial Academy on 19th February, 2016





*"A Refresher Training on "Time Management and Settlement of Issues"
for Civil Judges on 27th February, 2016.*

A Refresher Training on "Time Management and Settlement of Issues" for Civil Judges was held on 27th February, 2016 at the Academy. Dr. Shyamal Gupta, Legal Remembrancer, Government of West Bengal was the Resource Person.

Mrs. K.C. Barphungpa, Registrar General, High Court of Sikkim, Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy and Mr. N.G. Sherpa, Registrar, High Court of Sikkim, Additional Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy were also present at the programme.

Glimpses of the Refresher Training on "Time Management and Settlement of Issues" for Civil Judges on 27th February, 2016.







*A programme on NC ver CIS 2.0 (e-Courts project oriented)
for Advocates having up to 5 years of practice in the Bar on 1st March, 2016.*

A programme on National Core Version (NC Ver) (e-Courts project oriented) for All Advocates with up to 5 years of practice in the Bar was organised by the Sikkim Judicial Academy on 1st March, 2016 at the Sikkim Judicial Academy.

The above programme focused on the following topics:-

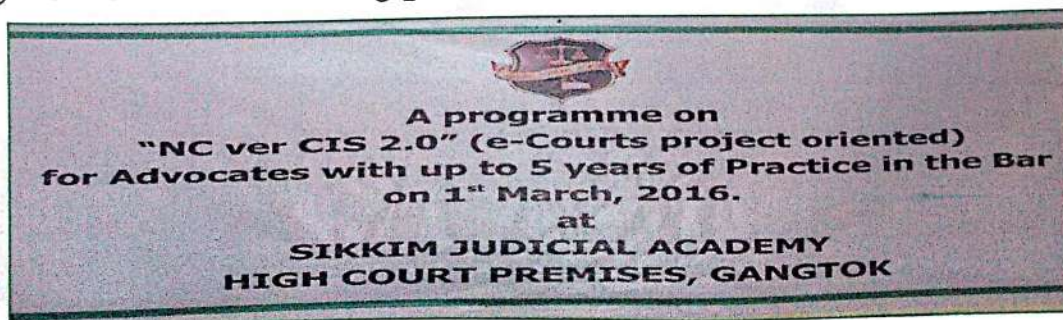
- (I) Familiarization about Case Information Software, Concept- Use of Information
- (ii) Information Communication Technology (ICT) in the Subordinate Courts, Introduction of NC Ver.
- (iii) CIS 2.0, Dissemination of Information of cases to the Counsel on record & litigants through SMS, using the Query Window at Kiosk for latest status of cases and Interactive Session.

The programme was organized under the guidance of Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Meenakshi Madan Rai, Judge, High Court of Sikkim and the President, Sikkim Judicial Academy. Mr. Rudra Rimal, Senior System Officer, High Court of Sikkim and Mr. Yoland Christopher, System Administrator, District and Session (East) were the Resource Persons for the programme. Mrs. K.C. Barphungpa Director and Mr. N.G. Sherpa Additional Director also addressed the trainees.

The programme was aimed to familiarizing the Junior Members of the Bar on the use of the Case Information Software in the District Courts which deals with Concept and use of Information Communication Technology (ICT) in the Subordinate Courts.

The participants were also introduced with SMS provision for sending information of case status to Counsel and Litigants, use of the NJDG (National Judicial Data Grid) for access to latest status of cases. Thirty five Advocates participated in the said programme.

*Glimpses of the programme on NC ver CIS 2.0 (e-Courts project oriented)
for All Advocates having practice up to 5 years on 1st March, 2016.*

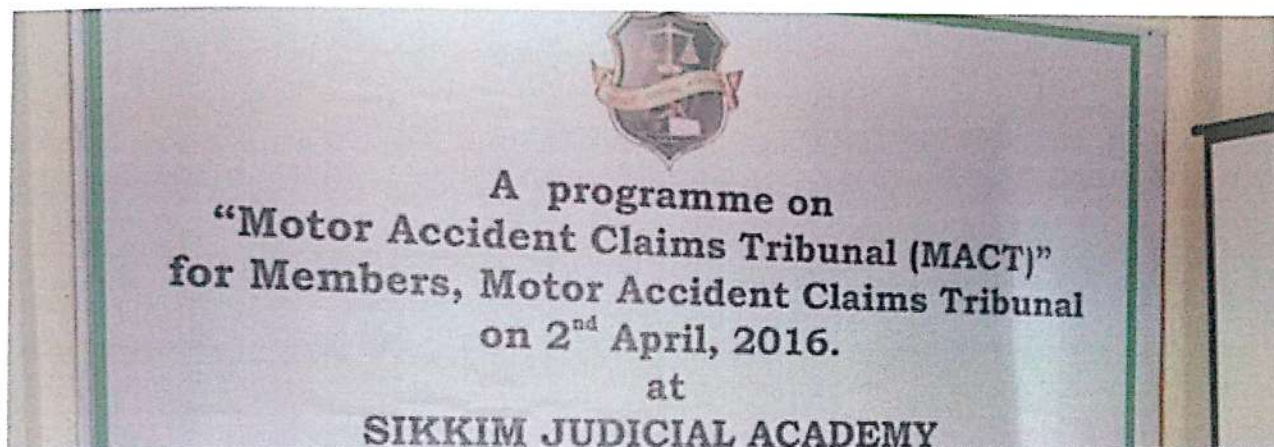


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*A programme on Motor Accident Claims
for Members of Motor Accident Claims Tribunals
on 2nd April, 2016.*



The Sikkim Judicial Academy organized a programme on “Motor Accident Claims Tribunal (MACT)” for Members of Motor Accident Claims Tribunals on 2nd April, 2016 at the Sikkim Judicial Academy.

The Resource Person for the aforesaid programme was Shri H.S. Sharma, former District & Session Judge, Delhi.

The programme covered the topics ranging from principles for awarding compensation, special provisions as to compensation in hit and run, Motor Accidents Scheme for payment of compensation, refund in certain cases of Compensation paid under Section 161 of M.V. Act, 1988, special provisions as to payment of compensation on the basis of structural formula-Option, liability of Insurance Companies etc.

The programme was organized for Members of Motor Accident Claims Tribunals of all the four Districts of Sikkim. Mrs. K.C. Barphungpa, Registrar General, High Court of Sikkim and Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy and Mr. N.G. Sherpa, Registrar, High Court of Sikkim and Additional Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy were present in the programme.

*Glimpses of the programme on "Motor Accident Claims Tribunal (MACT)"
for members of Motor Accident Claims Tribunals on 2nd April, 2016.*





*A Workshop on "Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012"
for Fast Track Court Judges, Judges of Special Courts and Principal Magistrates of
JJBs on 7th May, 2016*

A Workshop on "Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012" for Fast Track Court Judges & Special Court POCSO Act, 2012 was held on 7th May, 2016 at Sikkim Judicial Academy. Ms. Michelle Mendonca, Director, Mumbai Care and Protection, was the Resource Person for the aforesaid programme.

The programme covered the following topics :

- (a) Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012
- (b) Protection of Children.

The workshop was conducted by the Sikkim Judicial Academy to sensitise Special Judges of the Trial Courts dealing in such cases for ensuring the well being of children and child victims of such offences.

Glimpses of the Workshop on "Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012" for Fast Track Court Judge, Special Judges under the POCSO Act 2012 and Principal magistrates of JJBs







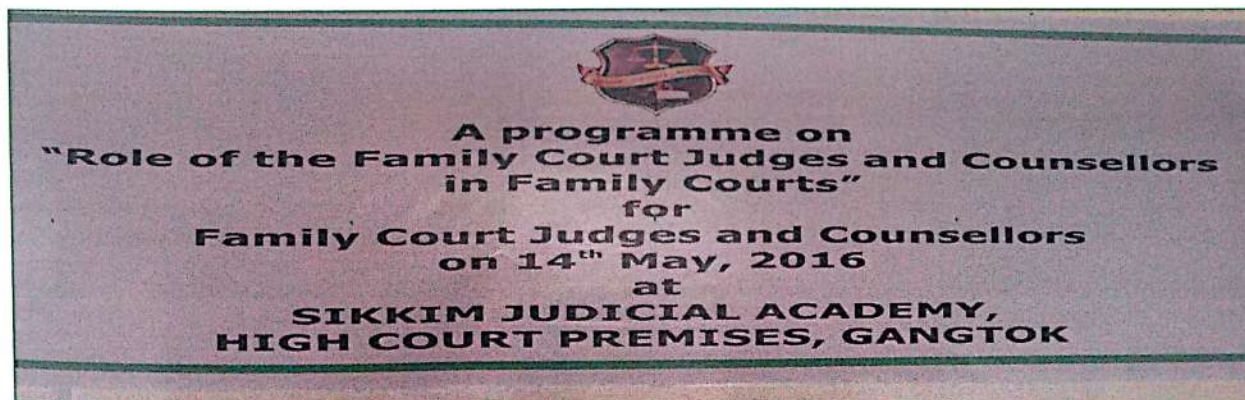
*A programme on "Role of Family Court Counselors in Family Courts"
for Family Court Judges and Counselors on 14th May, 2016.*

The Sikkim Judicial Academy organised a programme on "Role of Family Court Counselors in Family Courts" for Family Court Judges and Counselors on 14th May, 2016. The Resource Person for the Training Programme was Hon'ble Smt. Justice Roshan Dalvi, Retired Judge, Mumbai High Court.

Hon'ble Mrs Justice Meenakshi Madan Rai, President Sikkim Judicial Academy inaugurated the programme.

The purpose of the programme was to sensitize all Family Court Judges and Counselors dealing with family disputes. The workshop concluded with an interactive session between the participants and Resource Person.

Glimpses of the Training Programme on "Role of Family Court Counsellors in Family Courts" for Family Court Judges and Counsellors on 14th May, 2016







*Workshop on "Protection of Women & Domestic Violence Act, 2005 & Rules"
on 4th June.2016.*

The Sikkim Judicial Academy organized a workshop on "Protection of Women & Domestic Violence Act, 2005 & its Rules, 2006" for Chief Judicial Magistrates, Judicial Magistrates, Protection Officers & Service Providers of all districts of the State.

The Resource Person of the Programme was Shri Dharmesh Sharma, Member Secretary, Delhi State Legal Services Authority.

Since domestic violence is widely prevalent in various sections of society but is largely invisible, the workshop aimed at sensitizing not only the Magistrates but also the other stakeholders such as members/counselors of Family Courts. The programme was supervised by Mr. N.G. Sherpa, Registrar, High Court of Sikkim and Additional Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy.

*Glimpses of the Workshop on "Protection of Women & Domestic Violence Act, 2005 & Rules"
on 4th June.2016.*







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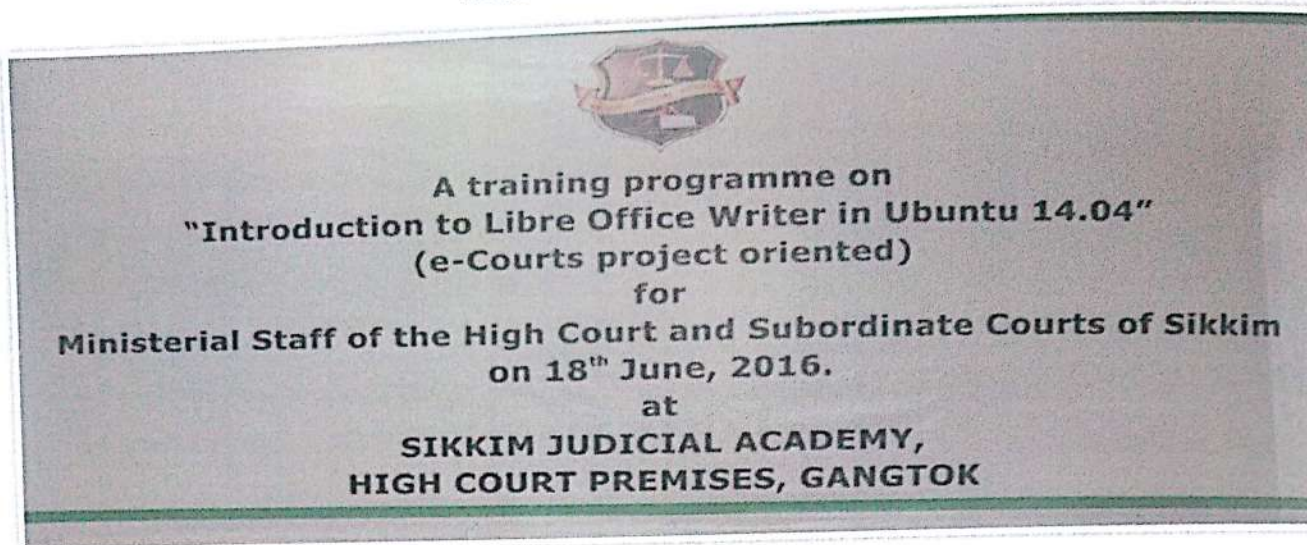
The Resource Person for the programme were Mr. Rudra Rimal, Senior System Officer, High Court of Sikkim and Mr. Yoland Christopher, System Administrator, District and Sessions Court (East) at Gangtok.

The programme covered the topic such as “Familiarization with Ubuntu 14.04.LTS, Use of Ubuntu in Judicial System, Advantages in the use of Ubuntu, Practical use of Libre Office Writer, Use of Libre Office Writer for Official Purposes, Understanding settings in Libre Office Writer and Other utilities in Open Office (Libre Office Calc & Libre Office Impress)”

The above training programme was supervised by Mr. N.G. Sherpa, Additional Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy.

Eleven ministerial staff from High Court of Sikkim, Thirteen ministerial staff from District & Sessions Court (East), Seven ministerial staff from District & Sessions Court (West), Four from District & Sessions Court (North) and Ten from District & Sessions Court (South) participated in the training programme.

Glimpses of the Training Programme on "Introduction to Libre Office Writer in Ubuntu 14.04 (e-Courts project oriented) for Ministerial Staff of High Court and Subordinate Courts of Sikkim held on 18th June, 2016.







A workshop on "Issues relating to Juvenile Justice under the Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2015 with special reference to child adoption" for Principal Magistrates JJBs, Members JJBs and Lawyers on panel of Sikkim State Legal Services Authority held on 25th June, 2016.

A workshop on "Issues relating to Juvenile Justice under Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2015 with special reference to child adoption" for Principal Magistrates JJBs, Members JJBs and Lawyers on panel of Sikkim State Legal Services Authority was held on 25th June, 2016 at the Sikkim Judicial Academy.

The Resource Person for above workshop was Ms. Geetanjali Goel, Director, National Legal Service Authority, Delhi.

The programme covered the topic namely "issues relating to Juvenile Justice under the Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2015 and child adoption".

The object of organizing the above programme was to sensitize stakeholders of the Juvenile Justice System on Care, Protection, Rehabilitation, Child Adoption and Legal provisions prescribed under the Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2015. Principal Magistrate Juvenile & Justice Boards of four Districts of Sikkim, Members of Juvenile Justice Boards and Lawyers on the panel of Sikkim State Legal Services Authority were present in the workshop.

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