

LAHORE HIGH COURT, LAHORE

No.3056/Gaz. II

Dated: 05.04.2012

NOTIFICATION

The Honourable Chief Justice has been pleased to declare: -

- (i) *All the Courts of Senior Civil Judges-cum-Judicial Magistrates at Headquarters and all the Courts of Civil Judges-I-cum-Judicial Magistrates at Sub-Divisions as Green Courts so as to hear all the cases under the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 as well as under ordinary jurisdiction involving the issues of environment or relating to environmental interest litigation.*
- (ii) *All the Courts of District and Sessions Judges in Punjab as Green Courts so as to hear all the cases/appeals etc. under the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 as well as under ordinary jurisdiction involving the issues of environment or relating to environmental interest litigation.*

The Honourable Chief Justice has also been pleased to transfer: -

- (i) *All the cases/appeals etc. either under the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 or under ordinary jurisdiction pending in the Courts of Additional District and Sessions Judges of every District to the respective Green Courts (District and Sessions Judges).*
- (ii) *All the cases under the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 or under ordinary jurisdiction involving the issues of environment pending in the Courts of Civil Judges-cum-Judicial Magistrate at headquarters to the concerned Green Courts (Senior Civil Judges-cum-Judicial Magistrates).*
- (iii) *All the cases under the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 or under ordinary jurisdiction involving the issues of environment pending in other Courts of Civil Judges-cum-Judicial Magistrates at Tehsil/Sub-Division level, to the concerned Green Courts (Civil Judges-I-cum-Judicial Magistrates).*


(SOHAIL NASIR)
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Dated Lahore the 05th April, 2012

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1. *The Chief Secretary, Government of the Punjab, Lahore.*
2. *All the District & Sessions Judges in the Punjab.*