

CHHATTISGARH STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY, BILASPUR
MEMO

No. 339/CSJA/National Security/2026

Bilaspur, dated 11.03.2026

To,

The Director,
National Judicial Academy,
Bhopal (M.P.)

Sub.: Regarding grant of permission to **Smt. Garima Sharma**, I District & Additional Sessions Judge, Korba to appear as a Resource Person in the National Seminar for Judges of the District Judiciary to guide participating Judicial Officer in Session-4 on the theme "**Efficacious Conduct of Trial**" scheduled on 22/03/2026 at NJA, Bhopal (P-1467).

Ref:- Your Letter No. NJA/Dir/P-1467/2026 dated 05th March, 2026.

Hon'ble Sir,

On the subject and reference cited above, as directed, it is to inform you that **Smt. Garima Sharma**, I District & Additional Sessions Judge, Korba has been permitted to appear as a Resource Person in the National Seminar for Judges of the District Judiciary to guide participating Judicial Officer in Session-4 on the theme "**Efficacious Conduct of Trial**" scheduled on 22/03/2026 at NJA, Bhopal (P-1467).

Encl: Copy of letter dated 05th March, 2026
along with tentative program schedule.


(Nidhi Sharma Tiwari)
Director, CSJA

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1. P.S. to Registrar General, High Court of Chhattisgarh, Bilaspur for information.
2. The Registrar, National Judicial Academy, Bhopal for information.
3. CPC for directing the In-charge, NIC for uploading the memo on the official website of CSJA.
4. **Smt. Garima Sharma**, I District & Additional Sessions Judge, Korba with a direction to appear as a Resource Person in the National Seminar for Judges of the District Judiciary to guide participating Judicial Officer in Session-4 on the theme "**Efficacious Conduct of Trial**" scheduled on 22/03/2026 at NJA, Bhopal (P-1467).


(Nidhi Sharma Tiwari)
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Dear Chief Justice,

Ref.: NJA/Dir./P-1467/2026/

Dated: 5th March, 2026

**Sub.: National Seminar on Organized Crime and Offences against National Security (P-1467)
[21st & 22nd March, 2026]**

The National Judicial Academy (NJA) is organizing a two day “**National Seminar on Organized Crime and Offences against National Security**” for Judges of the District Judiciary on **21st & 22nd March, 2026** at the NJA, Bhopal.

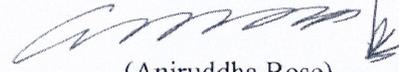
The seminar would throw light on the substantive and procedural nuances with regard to the offences against national security and organized crime. Emphasis will be placed on the aspects of bail and remand, witness protection, evidentiary issues and implications of the cross-border nature of these offences. The elements and issues involved in ensuring fair trial, and the challenges involved in adjudication will also be focused upon in the seminar.

As a domain expert, the NJA requests and be grateful if you could kindly permit **Ms. Garima Sharma, District & Additional Sessions Judge, Korba (C.G.)** to be a Resource Person to guide participating judicial officers in **Session-4** on the theme “**Efficacious Conduct of Trial**” scheduled on **22nd March, 2026**. We believe his valuable insights will contribute significantly to the success of the programme. Please find the programme schedule attached.

As is the NJA policy, travel and hospitality are the responsibility of the NJA.

With warm personal regards,

Yours sincerely,


(Aniruddha Bose)

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ramesh Sinha
Chief Justice
High Court of Chhattisgarh,
Bilaspur (C.G.)-495001

**NATIONAL SEMINAR ON ORGANIZED CRIME AND OFFENCES AGAINST
NATIONAL SECURITY [P-1467]**

21st & 22nd March 2026

Participants – Sessions Judges/ Judges of NIA Courts

Academic Coordinator: Ms. Shruti Jane Eusebius, Research Fellow, National Judicial Academy

TENTATIVE PROGRAM SCHEDULE

SESSION	THEMES
DAY 1 21 st March 2026 (Saturday)	
SESSION 1 10:00 AM -11:30 AM	<p align="center">Bail and Remand <i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bail in Organised Crime & Offences Against National Security (UAPA & BNSS) ➤ Balancing Statutory Requirements on Bail & Remand with Accused's Right to Liberty and Fair Trial
11:30 AM -12:00 PM	Tea Break
SESSION 2 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM	<p align="center">Appreciation of Evidence in Organised Crime & Offences against National Security <i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Challenges in Appreciation of Evidence ➤ Securing Transnational Evidence ➤ Technological Interventions in Adducing Evidence ➤ Striking a balance between Disclosure of Materials to Accused and Confidentiality & Security of State
1:30 PM - 02:30 PM	Lunch Break
SESSION 3 02:30 PM - 04:00 PM	<p align="center">Terrorism & Organised Crimes <i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Modus, Motivations & Emerging Issues ➤ Transnational & Cross-border Nature & its Implications ➤ Technology in the Commission of Terrorism & Organised Crimes
04:00 PM	Tea
DAY 2 22 nd March 2026 (Sunday)	
SESSION 4 10:00 AM -11:30 AM	<p align="center">Efficacious Conduct of Trial <i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Fixing and Adhering to a Trial Schedule ➤ Developing a Plan for Court & Stakeholder Security ➤ Formulating a Media Action Plan
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Tea Break
SESSION 5 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM	<p align="center">Digital Evidence <i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Evolving Nature of Digital Evidence ➤ Appreciation of Digital Evidence in Organised Crime & Offences against National Security
01:30 PM	Lunch

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