

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF PRISONS
PRISON HEADQUARTERS, NEAR LAJWANTI GARDEN CHOWK
JANAK PURI: NEW DELHI-110064.

F. No. 10 (7832) Legal/2011/436

Dated : 31.1.2012

STANDING ORDER NO. 26 A

A reference is received from the office of District Judge & ASJ I/C, New Delhi District, Patiala House Courts, that whenever an accused is sentenced to pay a fine (without substantive sentence), invariably it is mentioned in the Custody Warrant that the convict shall undergo imprisonment (simple or rigorous) for non payment of fine. The Jail Authorities are bound to inform the Court sending the convict to jail that the convict has undergone the sentence in default of payment of fine (if the fine is not paid). But this is not being done. As a result, the records of Magistrates show that a huge amount of fine imposed by those Courts, is yet to be recovered.

Keeping the above in view, it is directed that reports about convicts having undergone sentence in default of payment of fine be sent immediately after the convict has undergone the sentence in default of payment of fine. The receipt of such an information is likely to complete the record maintained by the Magistrate in that case.

All Superintendent jails are directed to scrupulously follow the above directions of the Court.


(NEERAJ KUMAR)

DIRECTOR GENERAL (PRISONS)

All Superintendent Jails.

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Copy for information to :

1. Sh. H.S. Sharma, District Judge & ASJ-I/C, New Delhi District Patiala House, New Delhi, with reference to letter No. 753/A&F/DJ&ASJ I/C/ PHC/NDD/11 dt. 21.01.12.

2. Law Officer

3. PA to DIG (P)