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The Constitution of India guarantees to secure to all its citizens **JUSTICE**, social, economic and political. State of Rajasthan honours the rights of all citizens and endeavors to protect them. Speedy, time bound justice at all level is the policy and priority of the State.

In the prevailing system litigation once initiated culminates to conclusion in decades. Sometimes it takes generations to reap the fruits of litigation. What so ever may be the reason for the delay but fact remains that pendency is huge and ever increasing.

Number of courts established in our country is not adequately proportionate to the population in comparison to the developed countries. Establishment of courts is a regular process and requires time to achieve the targeted ratio. Fewer courts for larger population result in over burdening of the courts and average time of disposal increases. The State shall endeavor to increase the number of courts to achieve the targeted ratio in phased manner.

The statistics of the litigation reveal that the State is the pre-dominant litigant in the courts contributing the major share of the pending litigation. The Litigation Policy is an endeavor to manage the State Litigation in an efficient and responsible manner to minimize the State contribution to pendency so that Honourable Courts may get more time for other pending cases.

Government of India has launched National Litigation Policy on 23rd June 2010 and the States are expected to fall in line and frame their own State Litigation Policy.

