

UTTARAKHAND STATE LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY



**“REPORT OF LEGAL LITERACY AND AWARENESS PROGRAMMES
AND CAMPS ORGANIZED THROUGH MOBILE VAN”**

IN THE STATE OF UTTARAKHAND

FROM 11TH OCTOBER, 2023 TO 19TH OCTOBER, 2023

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FROM 21ST NOVEMBER, 2023 TO 29TH NOVEMBER, 2023

It is kindly submitted that in compliance of the direction of Hon'ble the Executive Chairman, Uttarakhand State Legal Services Authority, Nainital, mass legal literacy and awareness programmes and camps were organized in six districts of the State of Uttarakhand through Mobile Van of the Uttarakhand State Legal Services Authority from 11th October, 2023 to 19th October, 2023 and from 21st November, 2023 to 29th November, 2023.

For this purpose, an approved schedule of the Mobile Van Awareness Drive was circulated by the Uttarakhand State Legal Services Authority to the following districts:-

S. N.	District	Date	Activities
1.	Nainital	11 th , 12 th & 13 th October, 2023	Legal Literacy and Awareness Programmes/Camps shall be organized through Mobile Van in rural as well as in urban areas of the districts and also in Schools.
2.	Almora	14 th , 15 th & 16 th October, 2023	
3.	Bageshwar	17 th , 18 th & 19 th October, 2023	
4.	U.S. Nagar	21 st , 22 nd & 23 rd November, 2023	
5.	Champawat	24 th , 25 th & 26 th November, 2023	
6.	Pithoragarh	27 th , 28 th & 29 th November, 2023	

In order to ensure the effective implementation of the aforesaid Awareness Drive through Mobile Van, following directions were issued to the aforesaid Districts:-

1. Concerning DLSAs are directed to display/broadcast the legal literacy and awareness based documentary films and other audio-video informative materials to the general public during the mobile van visit.
2. Concerning DLSAs are directed to distribute the valuable legal informative booklets and other legal awareness literature only to the needy persons.
3. Necessary applications, forms, etc. for seeking legal aid, advice, and other beneficial schemes of the Central/State Govt. shall be filled up/prepared by the PLVs on the spot and thereafter the

same shall be executed by the office of DLSA with the concerning departments.

4. Concerning DLSAs are directed to make aware the general masses about the functions and goal of the Legal Services Institutions and all the welfare schemes and policies being run by the National Legal Services Authority and Uttarakhand SLISA.
5. Concerning DLSAs are directed to ensure the publicity of the Permanent Lok Adalats in coordination with the concerning Permanent Lok Adalats in addition to the other programmes during the said mobile van visits.
6. Concerning DLSAs are directed to avail the services of Law Students for this purpose, wherever possible.
7. Concerning DLSAs are directed to ensure wider and adequate publicity of the said campaign.
8. Concerning DLSAs are directed to coordinate with the District Administration, Police Administration, School Administration, concerned Gram Panchayats and Gram Pradhans, etc. for extending their cooperation in this regard.

In compliance of the aforesaid directions, concerning District Legal Services Authorities conducted mass legal literacy and awareness programmes and camps through Mobile Van in rural as well as in urban areas of their districts and also in schools.

On the basis of the statistical information furnished by the aforementioned District Legal Services Authorities relating to the said Mobile Van Drive, a consolidated report has been prepared and the same is hereunder:-

Name of the District	No. of Legal Literacy and Awareness Programmes/ Camps organized in Urban Areas.	No. of persons attended these programmes /camps.	No. of Legal Literacy and Awareness Programmes /Camps organized in Rural Areas.	No. of persons attended these programmes/camps.	No. of Legal Literacy and Awareness Programmes/Camps organized in Schools.	No. of Students attended these programmes/camps.
Nainital	05	548	19	553	10	779
Almora	07	478	16	1098	04	955
Bageshwar	06	129	10	207	04	1015
U.S. Nagar	01	50	19	820	12	2525
Champawat	06	370	06	550	03	180
Pithoragarh	05	More than one lakh	07	More than one lakh	01	Around 500
TOTAL	30	101575 (Approx.)	77	103228 (Approx.)	34	5954 (Approx.)

It is kindly submitted that as per the District-wise reports mentioned in the above table, it is found that during the aforesaid Mobile Van Awareness Drive, **total 141 legal awareness programmes/camps organized in urban areas, rural areas and also in schools** wherein **around 210757 persons and students attended these legal awareness programmes/camps.**

Apart from the above, during the aforesaid Mobile Van Awareness Drive, various other legal aid related activities were also organized by the District Legal Services Authorities in their respective districts.

In this regard, a consolidated report has been prepared, on the basis of the statistical information furnished by the aforementioned District Legal Services Authorities, which is hereunder:-

Name of the District	Whether any applications, forms, etc. for seeking legal aid, advice and other beneficial schemes of the Central/State Govt. has been filled up/prepared by the PLVs on the spot. If Yes. Kindly furnish the following details.			Total No. of persons benefitted by this Drive.
	No. of such Application, Forms, etc. has been filled up/ Prepared.	Nature	Mention the details of action taken thereon.	
Nainital	163	Free legal aid, Permanent Lok Adalat and Pamphlets.	Advised given on the spot.	1880
Almora	-	-	-	2531
Bageshwar	02	Electricity and Aadhar Card related matters.	Forwarded advised to go the concerned department.	1351
U.S. Nagar	-	-	-	3395
Champawat	169 people were given information about NALSA Schemes and working and services being provided by DLSA. They were also advised about the various welfare schemes of the Central and State Govt. and were helped in filling forms of such schemes, etc.			1100
Pithoragarh	50	Hospital & Government Schemes	Helped in providing the medicines, medical facility and other Govt. schemes.	More than one lakh
TOTAL	384	-	-	110257

As per the above District-wise reports, it is found that **total 384 applications, forms, etc. for seeking legal aid, advice and other beneficial schemes of the Central and State Govt. has been filled up/prepared by the PLVs on the spot. Further, it is kindly submitted that total 110257 (approx.) persons were benefitted by this Mobile Van Awareness Drive.**

During the aforesaid Mobile Van Awareness Drive, public made aware about the working and functions of NALSA, SLSA, DLSA, various schemes and policies of NALSA, Cyber Crime, Media Scams, ADR Mechanisms, National Lok Adalat, Commercial Courts, POCSO Act, Eradication of Drug Menace, Rights of Women and Children, Constitution Day, Government Welfare Schemes, Disaster Management, Uttarakhand Victim from Crime Assistance Scheme, 2013, other important Laws and Acts, etc.

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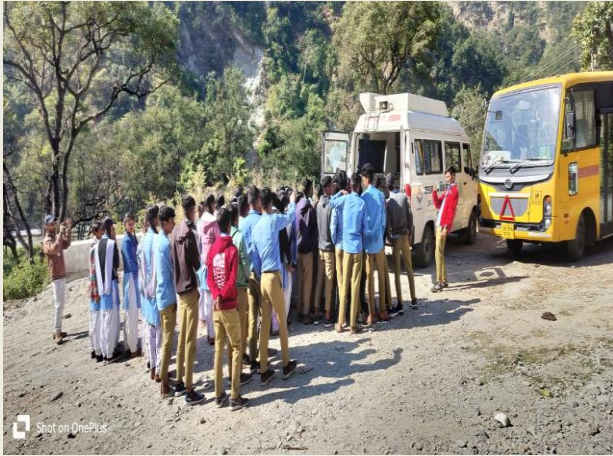
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