

**eCourts - ICT Implementation in Indian Judicial System  
Project Status Report for the month of February 2008**

SI No	Task Name	Sub-Task Name	End Date (Actual/ Expected)	Status	Remarks
1	Sub Track 2 (Project Planning) - Preparation of Solution Architecture by NIC/ Project Consultant	Preparation of Hardware Solution--- Hardware Platform Choice, Server Sizing, Workload Analysis, preparation of server specifications	30.10.2007	Complete	Hardware specifications ready, server sizing and workload analysis completed
		Preparation of Network Plan (considering SWAN)---Network Architecture and Specification, bandwidth sizing etc.	31.01.2008	In Progress	As the network plan is to be integrated with the SWAN implementation, details for the same are being worked out.
		Preparation of Software Plan --- Preparation of SRS, Application Architecture, Database Architecture etc.	28.02.2008	In Progress	The eCourts application for court workflow is currently running at 3 levels - District & Subordinate Courts, High Courts and Supreme Court. The project doesn't envisage software development from scratch; the existing applications at each level will be standardised (stage 1) and modified (based on reengineered processes - stage 2). We are currently in software standardisation stage for all 3 levels
		Preparation of Data Center/ Hosting Plan (considering SDC)---Hosting Plan, QoS, Security Standards etc	28.02.2008	Not Applicable	The eCourts project data requirements will be served out of the existing data centres at NIC.
		Integration with other MMPs (considering NSDG)---Identification of other MMPs	31.03.2008	Complete	To be integrated with SWAN and Police.
		Preparation of Service Delivery Plan (considering CSCs)---Identification Service Delivery Channels like Kiosks, CSCs etc.	28.02.2008	Not Applicable	The service delivery will be done through the web-based application. The data may be available at existing service delivery kiosks at High Courts and Supreme Court.

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2	Sub Track 3 (Identification of Services and Deliverables )	Identification of Service Levels	31-Dec-2007	Complete	Draft Service levels were distributed to all CPCs for approval during the workshop on 9th January.The same was submitted to Supreme Court for their comments and advise.
3	Phase I: Development and launch of Project Monitoring Website	Launch of the Website	11-Jan-08	In Progress	Software development is complete. We have requested few states to input test data.
4	Module 1a: Distribution of Lasers Printers	Issue of Purchase Order for Laser printers	9-Jan-08	In Progress	State-wise purchase orders have been issued for 6 states - Punjab & Haryana, Gujarat, Kerala, MP, Tamil Nadu, Uttaranchal. The remaining states have been requested to send court complex address details and printer requirements
5	Module 2 - Personalised Training to Judges	Commencement and monitoring of Training including Supply of Training Material	30-Nov-08	In Progress	So far training either has been completed or in the process of providing to 8766 judges(out of 13002) and 35063 court staff(out of 52008).
6	Module 3 - Providing internet connectivity to laptops - Broadband	Monitoring and Evaluation of Supply of Broadband Connectivity	27-Feb-08	In Progress	Status Attached
7	Module 4 - Providing connectivity at court complexes	Monitoring and Evaluation of Supply of Wi-Fi and Broadband Connectivity	21-Feb-08	In Progress	Status Attached
8	Module 5 - Providing Videoconferencing facility	Issue of RFP and Pre-bid	27-Dec-07	Complete	RFP Issued. Pre-bid took place on 14 February, 2008. Based on the vendor queries, the corrigendum have been prepared and are in the process of being uploaded

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9	Module 6 - Site Preparation	Constitute committee for Site Preparation at each High Court	11-Jan-08	In Progress	We have received site preparation estimates from the High Court of Madhya Pradesh. Remaining states are in the process of collecting information.
		Submission of estimates by HCs	1-Feb-08	In Progress	
10	Module 7 - Providing Hardware	Release of Hardware Tender	31-Jan-08	In Progress	Tender to be released shortly. As the hardware delivery should be synchronized with readiness of sites, we are currently in the process of designing appropriate delivery and payment mechanisms
11	Module 8 - Development of Application Software	Formation of Software Standardisation Committee for Version 1	15-Jan-08	In Progress	Written to Ecommittee/Supreme Court for their advise. Their recommendations have been received. We are currently in the process of completing administrative formalities.
		Identification of key NIC personnel to lead software development process	26-Feb-08	Complete	Three Software committees have been formed. One for each application - District and Subordinate Courts, High Courts, and Supreme Court. Preparation of Action Plans for each in progress
12	Module 9 - Technical Manpower	Submission of Pre-bid queries/Corrigendum	17-Jan-08	Complete	Bids have been received and opened. Technical evaluation in progress
		Receiving Vendor Responses and Evaluation - Technical Evaluation	18-Jan-08	In Progress	
13	Upgradation of Infrastructure at High Courts	Preparation of Draft Template for collection of information	25-Jan-08	Complete	NIC has submitted the Infrastructure sizing template to all High Courts. Response has been received from Uttaranchal and Bombay High Courts, awaiting the response of other states.
		Distribution of the Infrastructure sizing Template to all states	30-Jan-08	Complete	