

THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA

HCKL/8314/2025-IT-TC2-HC KERALA

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NOTICE

It is hereby informed that, the High Court Mediation Management System (HC-MMS), integrated with the High Court Case Management System (HC-CMS), has already been rolled out with effect from 20.07.2026. The system provides an independent mechanism for Advocates and Parties-in-Person to suggest their cases as suitable for mediation.

Under this facility, Advocates and Parties-in-Person can now submit mediation requests through the dedicated "Mediation Request" page in their eFiling portal. The link is provided below:

<https://ecourt.keralacourts.in/digicourt/MediationCampaign/index>

The "Guidelines for Advocates and Party-in-Persons", together with the relevant screenshots explaining the procedure for submitting mediation requests, are enclosed herewith. All Advocates and Parties-in-Person are requested to follow the enclosed guidelines while using the HC-MMS facility.

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Suggesting a Case for Mediation
Guidelines for Advocates and Party-in-Persons

1. What this provision is

A provision has been made in the High Court Case Management System by which an advocate, or a party-in-person, may suggest a case as suitable for mediation.

A suggestion is a request to the Court. It does not by itself refer the matter to mediation, and mediation does not begin upon it. The reference is made by the Court, on the matter being posted and taken up.

2. What happens to a suggestion

Stage	What happens
1	Advocate/party-in-person suggest the case, with remarks if needed.
2	The suggestion becomes visible to the section to which the case belongs.
3	The section posts the case for listing under the purpose "Suggested for Mediation".
4	The Court takes up the matter and passes orders. Mediation is referred, or not, as the Court directs.

No step beyond the first is required of the applicant.

3. Making a suggestion

Who may suggest

An advocate may suggest any case in which he or she appears. A party-in-person may suggest his or her own case.

Where to go

The provision is available on the Mediation Request page of your login. It is reached from the menu and is separate from the e-filing pages.

Procedure

- Open the Mediation Request page.
- Choose whether the case is to be identified by its case number or by its filing number.
- Select the case type and enter the number and the year.
- Search for the case, and verify that the case shown is the one intended.
- Enter remarks, if any. Remarks are optional, but a short indication of why mediation is thought suitable, or that a party is willing, is of assistance to the Court.
- Submit the suggestion.

High Court of Kerala

Home Mediation Campaign

Mediation Request

CASE NO. FILING NO.

CaseNo Atst. Appeal 2024

REQUEST CASE VIEW REQUESTS LEAVE

CASE DETAILS

Case Details Party Details Remarks Action

Case no. Eff. no. CNR no. Filing No.

Petitioner P. Advocate Respondent R. Advocate

Request for Mediation

Screenshot 1 — Mediation Request — identifying the case to be suggested

4. Viewing the suggestions you have made

The suggestions already made may be seen through the option to view requests on the same page. The list shows each case suggested, together with the date on which the suggestion was made and the remarks entered.

The list serves as a record. It allows you to confirm that a suggestion has been received, and to avoid suggesting the same case twice.

5. Points to note

- A suggestion is a request to the Court. It is not a reference, and mediation does not begin upon it.
- Only the Court may refer a matter to mediation.
- Where a case has already been suggested, it need not be suggested again.
- The suggestion, and any remarks entered, form part of the record.