

Indian Stamp Act, 1899

Section 57 - Statement of Case by Chief Controlling Revenue-authority to High Court

(1) The Chief Controlling Revenue-authority may state any case referred to it under section 56, subsection (2), or otherwise coming to its notice, and refer such case, with its own opinion thereon,--

1 [(a) if it arises in a State to the High Court for that State;

2 [(b) if it arises in the Union territory of Delhi to the High Court of Delhi;]

3 [(c) if it arises in the Union territory of Arunachal Pradesh or Mizoram, to the Gauhati High Court (the High Court of Assam, Nagaland, Meghalaya, Manipur and Tripura);]

(d) if it arises in the Union territory of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, to the High Court at Calcutta ; 4 ***

(e) if it arises in the Union territory of the 5 [Lakshadweep], to the High Court of Kerala;]

6 [(ee) if it arises in the Union territory of Chandigarh, to the High Court of Punjab and Haryana;] 7

(f) if it arises in the Union territory of Dadra and Nagar Haveli, to the High Court of Bombay;]

(2) Every such case shall be decided by not less than three Judges of the High Court 8 *** to which it is referred, and in case of difference the opinion of the majority shall prevail.

1. Substituted by the A.O. (No. 2), 1956, for the former clauses (a) to (g).

2. Substituted by G.S.R. 1944, Gaz. Ex., Part II, Section 3(ii), Page 578, dated 30-10-68.

3. Substituted by G.S.R. 7(E), Pt. II, Section 3(i), dated 2-1-74.

4. Omitted by regulation 6 of 1963, Section 2 and Schedule

5. Substituted by G.S.R. 432, Gaz. Ex., Part II, Section 31, dt. 21-10-1974, for "Laccadive, Minicoy and Admindivi Islands".

6. Inserted by G.S.R. 1944, Gaz Ex., Part. II, Section 3(ii), Page 548, dated 30-10-68.

7. Inserted by Regulation 6 of 1963, Section 2 and Schedule

8. The words "Chief court or Judicial Commissioner's Court" omitted by the A.O. 1950.
