

## **Mediation Centre at Punjab and Haryana High Court, Chandigarh**

1. The Mediation & Conciliation Centre at Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh was set up on **17<sup>th</sup> March, 2008** by Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.B.Sinha, the then Chairman, Mediation & Conciliation Project Committee, Judge Supreme Court of India. The second Mediation Centre of this Court was inaugurated on **21.03.2013** by Hon'ble Mr. Justice A.K.Sikri, the then Hon'ble Chief Justice of this Court.
2. Since then Mediation Proceedings in the Centre is being conducted by Trained Advocate-Mediators. There are total 96 Advocate-Mediators including two retired Judicial Officers.

## **Mediation & Conciliation Centre at District Courts, Chandigarh**

1. The Mediation & Conciliation Centre was set up in District Courts, Chandigarh on **16<sup>th</sup> May 2008** by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Vijender Jain, the then Chief Justice, Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh.
2. This Centre is being run by 29 Advocates, who are trained mediators.

## **Mediation & Conciliation Centres in Punjab**

1. **Out of total 12 Mediation Centres in the State of Punjab, 8** Mediation & Conciliation Centres at **Amritsar, Moga, Ferozepur, Hoshiarpur, Ludhiana, Jalandhar, Patiala and Sangrur** were inaugurated on 8<sup>th</sup> November 2008 through video-conferencing facility by Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.B. Sinha, the then Chairman, Mediation & Conciliation Project Committee, Supreme Court of India. The Mediation and Conciliation Centres in Bathinda in the states of Punjab, started working from December, 2011. 3 more Mediation Centres i.e. Rupnagar, Kapurthala and Fatehgarh Sahib have been set up in the year-2012.

## **Mediation & Conciliation Centres in Haryana**

1. **Out of total 16 Mediation Centres in the State of Haryana, 9** Mediation Centres at **Faridabad, Gurgaon, Hisar, Jind, Karnal, Kurukshetra, Rewari, Rohtak and Sonapat** were inaugurated on 8<sup>th</sup> November 2008 through video-conferencing facility by Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.B.Sinha, the then Chairman, Mediation & Conciliation Project

Committee, Supreme Court of India and thereafter one more Mediation Centre at **Narnaul** was inaugurated on 7.2.2009. The Mediation and Conciliation Centres in Fatehabad started working from December, 2011. 5 more Mediation Centres i.e. Panchkula, Panipat, Yamuna Nagar at Jagadhri, Ambala and Sirsa have started functioning in the year-2012.

List showing the names of District in the State of Haryana, where Mediation Centres have been set		List showing the names of District in the State of Punjab, where Mediation Centres have been set	
1	Faridabad	1	Amristar
2	Gurgaon	2	Ferozepur
3	Hisar	3	Hoshiarpur
4	Jind	4	Jalandhar
5	Kurukshetra	5	Ludhiana
6	Karnal	6	Moga
7	Rewari	7	Patiala
8	Rohtak	8	Sangrur
9	Sonepat	9	Bathinda
10	Narnaul	10	Rupnagar
11	Fatehabad	11	Kapurthala
12	Yamuna Nagar	12	Fatehgarh Sahib
13	Panipat (ADR)		
14	Panchkula		
15	Ambala		
16	Sirsa		

In terms of decision taken in the meeting held under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble the Chief Justice of this Court on 04.12.2012 and resolution passed in Chief Justices' Conference held on 05<sup>th</sup> - 06<sup>th</sup> April, 2013, the control and supervision of the Mediation & Conciliation Centres set up in the States, have been handed over to their respective State Legal Services Authorities w.e.f July, 2013.

***“For further details regarding Mediation & Conciliation Centres of Punjab, Haryana and U.T, Chandigarh, please see Websites of State Legal Services Authorities of Punjab Haryana and U.T., Chandigarh”***