

**JUDICIAL POWERS OF ELAKAS:**

The Executive Committee of the United Khasi and Jaintia Hills Autonomous District in exercise of power conferred by the Rule 17 of United Khasi and Jaintia Hills Autonomous District (Administration of Justice) Rule 1953, issued the following notification No.DC.XXVI/31/54/68-dated 26<sup>th</sup> September, 1962:

No.DC.XXVI/31/54/68: In exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 17 of United-Jaintia Hills Autonomous District (Administration of Justice) Rules, 1953, the Executive Committee of the United Khasi Jaintia Hills District Council, with the approval of the Governor of Assam, hereby invests the following courts of the Council acting as Additional Subordinate District Council Courts under sub-rule (2) of the rule 7 of the aforesaid Rules with such powers of a Magistrate as noted against each and as defined in Chapter III of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1988, to be exercised in their respective jurisdiction:

1. The Court of the Syiem of Myllem. -----→ Powers of a Magistrate of the first class.
2. (a) Courts of the Syiem of Nongkhlaw,-----→ Powers of a Magistrate of the second class.  
Cherra Khyrim, Nongstoin and Maharam  
Syiemships and  
(b) The court of the Wahadadars of the  
Shella Confederacy
3. (a) Courts of the Syiem of Nongspung, -----→ Powers of a Magistrate of the third class.  
Langrin, Mawsynram Myriaw, Rambrai,  
Mawiang, Bhowal, Malaisohmat, Nobosohphoh  
and Jirang, Syiemships  
(b) Courts of the Lyngdohs of Sohiong, Mawphlang  
and Lyngiong Lyngdohships and (c) Courts of the  
Sirdars of Mawlong, Mawdoh, Dwara Nongtyrnem,  
Pomsangut and Nonglwai Sirdarship.

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