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To: Respected staff of supreme court departments, Diwans, appellate courts, and primary courts of the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan

Asalamua'laikum Wa Rahmatullah Wa Barakatuh¹

A meeting was held between Amir Al-Mumineen Sheikh Sahib, may Allah protect him, and the chief justice and the directors of different departments on 27 February 2022, where topic number nine was regarding sending cases to Huqoq departments and the AGO and implementing the decisions, the meeting had decided as follow:

((The issue of Huqoq and prosecution offices has been sent to the respected scholars, and after receiving the opinion of the scholars, a decision will be taken, and until such a time, if a plaintiff directly comes to the court or is directed to the court by the prosecution offices, the court should receive the case but should not base the verdict based on the investigation by them (Huqoq and prosecution offices.))

Decision number nine of the mentioned meeting is therefore sent to supreme court departments, Diwans, appellate courts, and primary courts through this circular so that they will act accordingly.

Best Regards

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(Signed and Stamped on March 24, 2022)

¹ [Translator's Note: Peace be upon you and God's mercy and blessings.]

² [Translator's Note: A Mufti is a professional jurist who interprets Muslim law (<https://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/mufti>), but in the Afghanistan context, the title is loosely used for religious scholars.]