



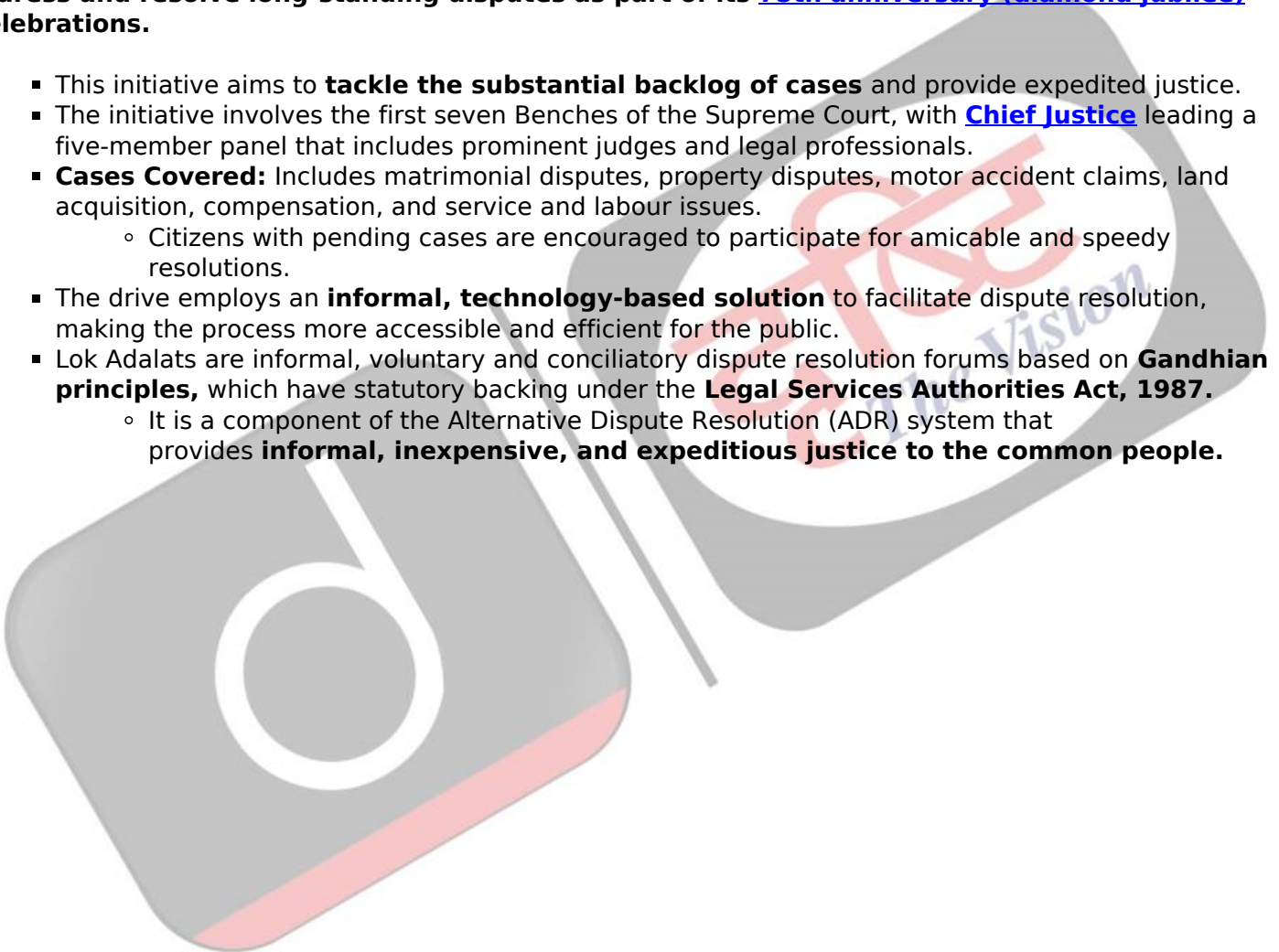
## SC Launches Special Lok Adalat Drive

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The [Supreme Court of India](#) has launched a week-long **special week-long Lok Adalat drive to address and resolve long-standing disputes as part of its 75th anniversary (diamond jubilee) celebrations.**

- This initiative aims to **tackle the substantial backlog of cases** and provide expedited justice.
- The initiative involves the first seven Benches of the Supreme Court, with [Chief Justice](#) leading a five-member panel that includes prominent judges and legal professionals.
- **Cases Covered:** Includes matrimonial disputes, property disputes, motor accident claims, land acquisition, compensation, and service and labour issues.
  - Citizens with pending cases are encouraged to participate for amicable and speedy resolutions.
- The drive employs an **informal, technology-based solution** to facilitate dispute resolution, making the process more accessible and efficient for the public.
- Lok Adalats are informal, voluntary and conciliatory dispute resolution forums based on **Gandhian principles**, which have statutory backing under the **Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987**.
  - It is a component of the Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) system that provides **informal, inexpensive, and expeditious justice to the common people.**

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