



Justice Arup Kumar Goswami | Chhattisgarh | 13 Oct 2021

Why in News

- On October 12, 2021, Chhattisgarh Governor Anusuiya Uikey administered the oath to **Justice Arup Kumar Goswami as the 14th Chief Justice of the Chhattisgarh High Court.**

Key Points

- Justice Arup Kumar Goswami was the Chief Justice of the Andhra Pradesh High Court before being transferred to the Chhattisgarh High Court.
- Justice Arup Kumar Goswami replaces outgoing Chief Justice (Acting) of Chhattisgarh High Court Justice Prashant Kumar Mishra, who has been transferred as Chief Justice of Andhra Pradesh High Court.
- It is noteworthy that under **Article 222 of the Constitution of India**, a provision has been made regarding the transfer of judges of the High Court.
- However, presently, the appointment and transfer of the judges of the High Court is being done under the **collegium system**, whose present form has evolved from the decision of the Supreme Court in the '**Second Judges Case 1993**'.

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