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Justice Vikram Nath appointed AP Chief Justice

THE Supreme Court Collegi-um has recommended Alla-habad High Court Judge Jus-tice Vikram Nath for appointment as Chief Justice of Andhra Pradesh High court.

The collegium on Wednesday observed that "the office of the Chief Justice of the Andhra Pradesh High Court, which has recently been constituted as separate High

Court for the State of AP, has been lying vacant right from the day of its inception. Therefore, appointment to that office is required to be made. Mr Justice Vikram Nath is the senior-most Judge from Allahabad High Court and has been functioning in that High Court since his elevation."

The apex court collegium also recommended four other judges for appointment as Chief Justices of Rajasthan, Kerala, Meghalaya and Chhattisgarh High Courts.

The decision was taken by the apex court collegium, headed by Chief Justice Ranjan Gogoi and comprising Justices S A Bobde, N V Ramana on April 8 and it was uploaded on the apex court website on Wednesday. PTI

Justice Oka to be next K'taka Chief Justice

New Delhi: The Supreme Court Collegium has recommended the name of Bombay HC Justice A S Oka as the Chief Justice of Karnataka HC. The names for new Chief Justices for Rajasthan, Meghalaya, Andhra and Chhattisgarh HCs were also recommended.