COMPUTERISATION OF LEGAL REPORTS

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ABSTRACT

To enable a civil society where justice, orderliness and peace reigns, rules are made to govern conducts in society and regulate human activities.

Justice delayed is said to be justice denied, hence this project is aimed at developing a software that will ease the job of legal luminaries and enhance quick dispensation at justice to forester fairness and desired peace in the society. The system was conceptualized to provide ease of record look-up from various legal reports and publications. It provides prompt and adequate guide for legal report users.
Making a case successful depends on how a legal officer can present his case based on past/former cases by building adequate loco standi for desired justice. To this end the system (Legal Report Management System) will provide adequate support for building appropriate references to enhance the success of legal luminaries.

The Legal Report Management system will enhance effective research by legal professionals.

DEDICATION

This work is dedicated to my master and lord Jesus Christ for all he has done for me and all that He will do for me.

CERTIFICATION

I hereto append my signature to certify that this project "COMPUTERISATION OF LEGAL REPORTS" was carried out by Alabi Bamidele Emmanuel with registration no MCS/PGD/182/96. This is in partial fulfillment of the award of Post Graduate Diploma Certificate (Computer Science) of Federal University Of Technology, Minna.

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govern every member that enables the achievements of the collective interest.

Any society that must live peacefully must have laws to regulate its activities and rights of all members.

The Webster dictionary define law thus:

1. "a custom or practice is recognized as binding by a community, especially as a result of having been so declared by the governing authority".
2. "an aspect of such customs of practices, civil law, or a body of customs or practices applicable to specific group or community".

Laws are determined by members of the society and its is binding on all members of the society.

Podgoreck (1974) defines law thus:

"law is a definite aggregate of norms of conduct. Its distinguishing features are said to be the following;

1. These norms are either established or recognized in proper manner by the "state" that is by the appropriate agencies of the state administrations (government).
2. "The realization of these norms is warranted by the state and by the threat of coercion."

Fawehinmi (1992) has this to say;

" It is to attempt to arrest, this painful trend and obvious decline in the intellectual psyche of legal profession, (particularly its practicing sector) that in addition to the day-to-day practice as a barrister solicitor I engage in some research work into the practical area of the system ...."

"I have been able to publish from time to time, findings of these researchers". Thanks to the vision of Legal luminary "Chief Gani Fawehinmi" who have done much to correct this negative trend. In view of the above, it is clear that Nigeria has a competent legal institutions of reputable standing.

Fawehinmi, 1985 have this to say:

"It must be clearly understood that our high courts in Nigeria are of the same hierarchical status as the High Court in England where both the House of lords and the Court of Appeal are superior to the High Court. The same position obtains in Nigeria where the supreme court (hierarchical equivalent of the English House of Lords) and the court of Appeal (hierarchical equivalent of the English Court of Appeal) are superior to the high court here".

Since our courts are of equal standing to these courts in advance countries, its imperative that proceedings be documented in order to provide adequate reference materials for our legal practitioners.

current legal development".

An unspecialized periodical in which articles of legal interest may be found is the Etudes Congolese, published at Lovanium University Kinshasha".

Chief Fawehinmi in pursuit of his vision in addition to his various research work, introduced and published the "Nigerian Weekly Law Reports". This document contains cases and proceedings in Nigeria Supreme and High Courts.

Dugwuzo etal 1998 says his opinion:

"He (Fawehinmi) Nigerian Weekly Law Reports, which started fourteen years ago, a must-read for every lawyer and judges is unprecedented in Africa both innovation, content, style and regularity".

A Legal Reports, is a publication that documents court proceedings and judgement of the Supreme Court and High Courts in Nigeria. This provides adequate indigenous and relevant cases for legal practitioners in Nigeria.

Fawehinmi 1992 summarize his efforts thus:

"We reported all the one hundred and one (101) considered judgements of the supreme court and a total of two hundred and fifty - three (253) notable judgements of the court of appeal for easy accessibility to and full utilization

1.4 Scope and Limitations

1.4.1 Scope:

The computerised system is conceptualized to capture summaries from any type of legal reports published in Nigeria. It will also captured reported cases from Supreme Court, court of appeal and High Courts documented in any publication of legal reports.

1.4.2 Limitations

Data capture or input medium is conceptualised to be a hand held scanner for easy accurate and fast data capture, but this was not used in case of this project due to the cost of procuring a hand held scanner.

1.5 Significance of Study

The system will provide quick search of documented cases in legal reports, there by reducing the time required to search volumes of legal reports. It provides precise guide to required cases and consequently enhances speedy dispensation of justice. It will also increase confidence in the judiciary and provide justice to the society.

CHAPTER TWO

LITERATURE REVIEW

2.0 TECHNOLOGY AND LEGAL REPORTS

2.1 Technology and Man

Technology refers to activities engaged into extend the capabilities of human faculties in carrying out given task.

Hamilton '93 States that:

> "Technology helps man in his external struggle for hostile world. In order to maintain food, health and shelter, man has to arrange his environment to his needs."

The aims of technology are to increase efficiency productivity and ultimately to provide ease of carrying out task.

Sank 1980 have this to say:

> "throughout history there have been human being who desire to do work much beyond the limit of the physical capability.

In furtherance to Sante's assertion, various means were employed by man Sante further asserts that:

> " Animal help them (man) move masses lever gave them mechanical advantage, the wheel provided mobility".

Halmiton '73 says:

> "The present revolution involves, communication and use of information, just as the first one involve the transport and energy supplies. It is coming about because technology is becoming more information centred".

Information processing is the nerve of the present age of technology, this present age is called Information Technology. The main tool as the "**COMPUTER**".

2.2 Computer and Computerization

Computer is an electronic device that accepts data as input, process the data based on sets instruction, generate results and takes possible decisions based on the result of the process carried out on the data.

Hamilton 1973 has this to say:

> "The computer which contains the electronic equivalent of human logic and memory, supplements his mental powers, enhancing his ability to shape or process information and relieving him of mental efforts".

Computerisation entails its application to complement human efforts interms of processing of data and document (Text). Computers are fast in analysing data, accurate in computation and neat in its report presentation as long as the controlling instrument (software) functions well.

It provides economical data storage facility and enhance data security for effective data bank management. Its main advantage is that it relieves man of mental efforts.

Hamilton 1973 observed that:

"The electronic computer would be technologies most successful machine were it not for difficulty that people have in accepting it. Speed is its essential quality. Work perhaps 400 million times faster than man. It can collect, store and retrieve all kinds of information in a minute fraction of time, it would take by manual methods".

The enormous benefit interms of speed of computer is most desired to enhance productivity in all facet of life.

2.3 Computer Application

Bringing societies up from subsistence levels entails acceptance and adoption of developed technology in the society. Computer as the most recent technology has been adapted to various disciplines to enhance proficiency and productivity.

Hamilton 1973 observes that:

"The traditional accounting field in which the great majority of company with computers still engage their machine, displays the computers great ability to store, sort, erase and recall all kinds of information at high speed".

CHAPTER THREE
SYSTEM DESIGN

3.1DATAFILE DESIGN

Datafiles are structured files used to store data item . The datafiles in this software are accessed and managed by the customised software.

There are Four data files proposed for the Legal report management system as follows:

a. **Courts definition file**: This data file stores the names and codes of various courts to be referenced by the system. The data file contains two fields to hold the court name and court code. The structure as below.

Field Name	Type	Size	Pictur e
Court Code	Character	3	X
Court Name	Character	25	X

b. **Case definition file:** This court maintains list of various types of cases to be managed by the system.

Field Name	Type	Size	Pictur e
Case Code	Character	3	X
Case Name	Character	25	X

c. **Case Detail datafile:** This holds summary of the cases reported in the each legal report. The reported cases in legal reports are entered into the system. The datafile contains six fields as below.

Field Name	Type	Size	Picture
Case Code	Character	3	X
Court Code	Character	3	X
Date Of	Date	10	99/99/9

Judgement			999
Name of Judge	Character	20	X
Case Title	Character	50	X
Case Summary	Character	10	X

d. **Journal datafiles:** This datafile keeps the record of possible journals that could be referenced. The datafile contain two fields as below.

Field Name	Type	Size	Picture
Journal Code	Character	3	X
Journal Name	Character	25	X

INPUT DESIGN

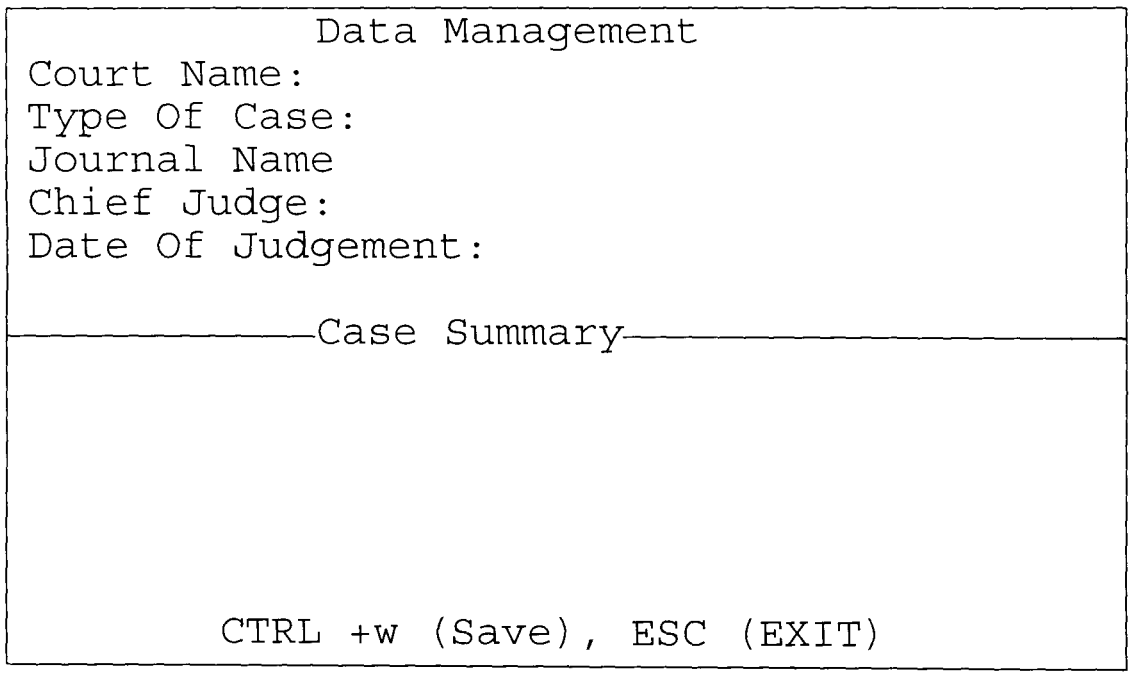
The various data capture points for this system are:

1. Code definition routine: This accepts the followng fields
   a. Item codes which can be
      - Court code
      - Case code
      - Journal code
        eg. 001

   b. Item description: This can be
      - Court name
      - Case types
      - Journal name
        eg Nigerian Law report

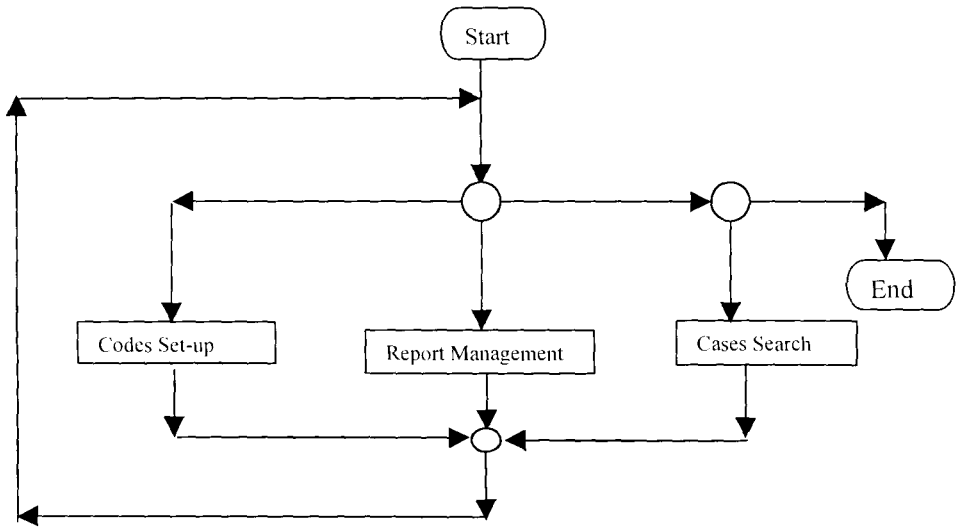
Code	Description

2. Legal report data mangement routine: This captures datils of cases reported in the legal report. It accepts the following data item.
    - Case title
    - Court name
    - Name of journal that report the case
    - Chief Judge of the case
    - Date of judgement
    - Summary of the case



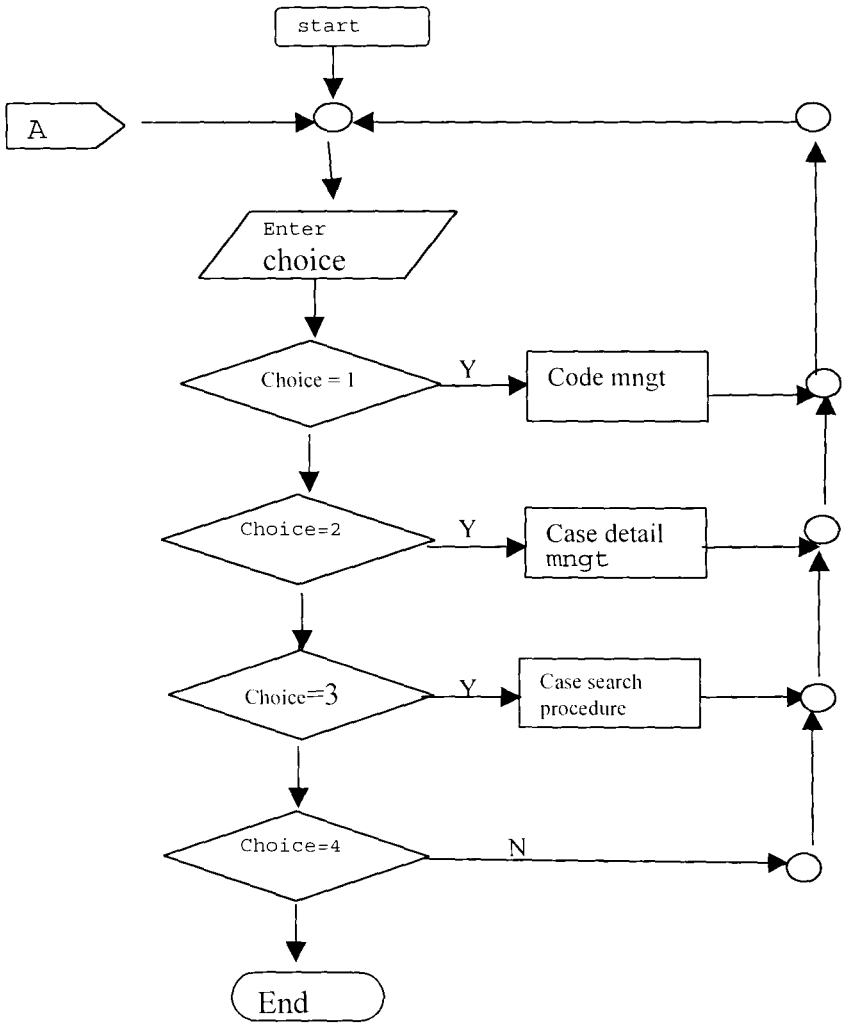
3.2 SYSTEM FLOWCHART

This gives overview of the various component in the Legal Report System. Flowchart uses charts, and symbols to represent operation and flow of instruction or command in the system.

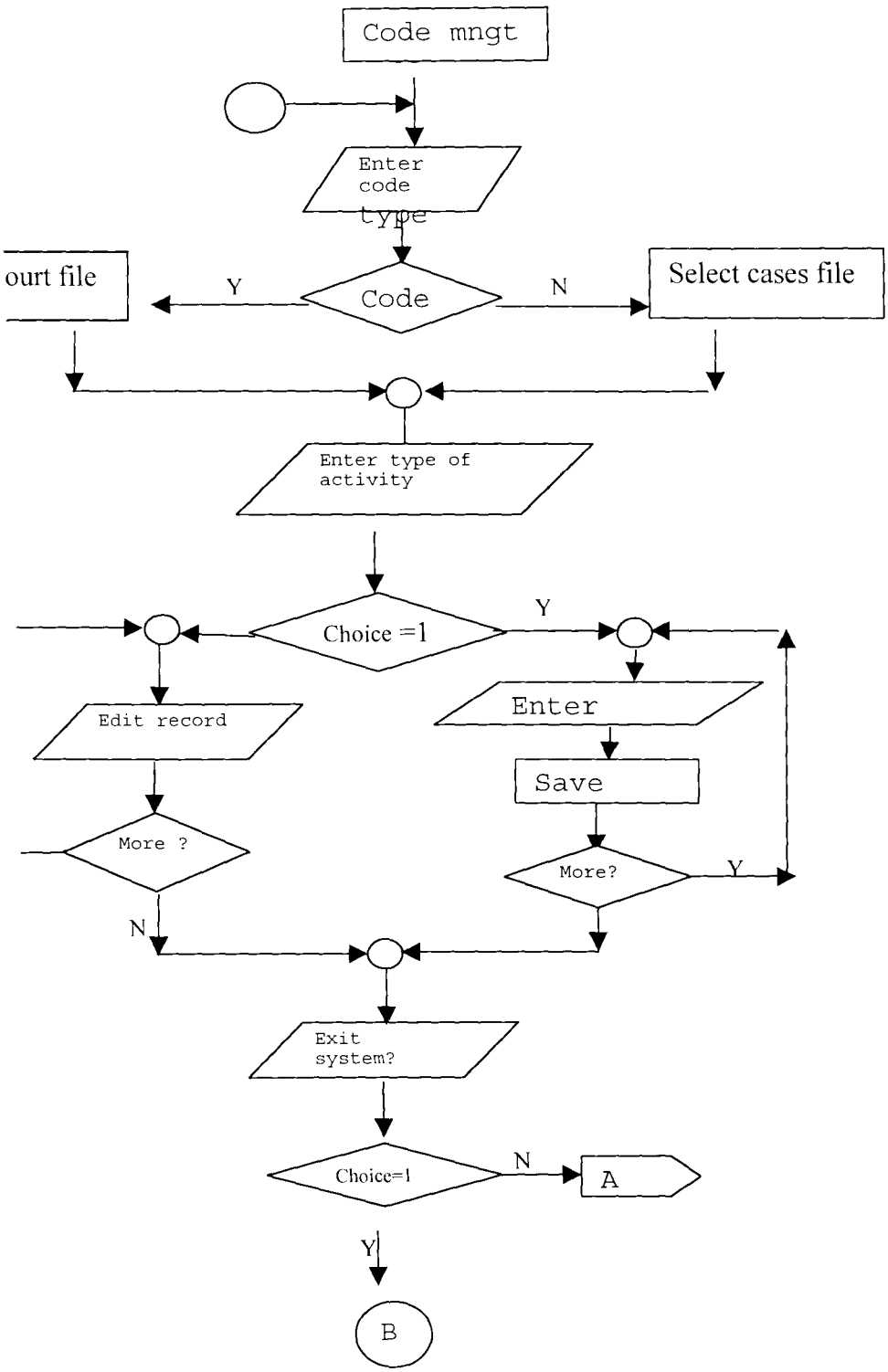


System Outlook Chart

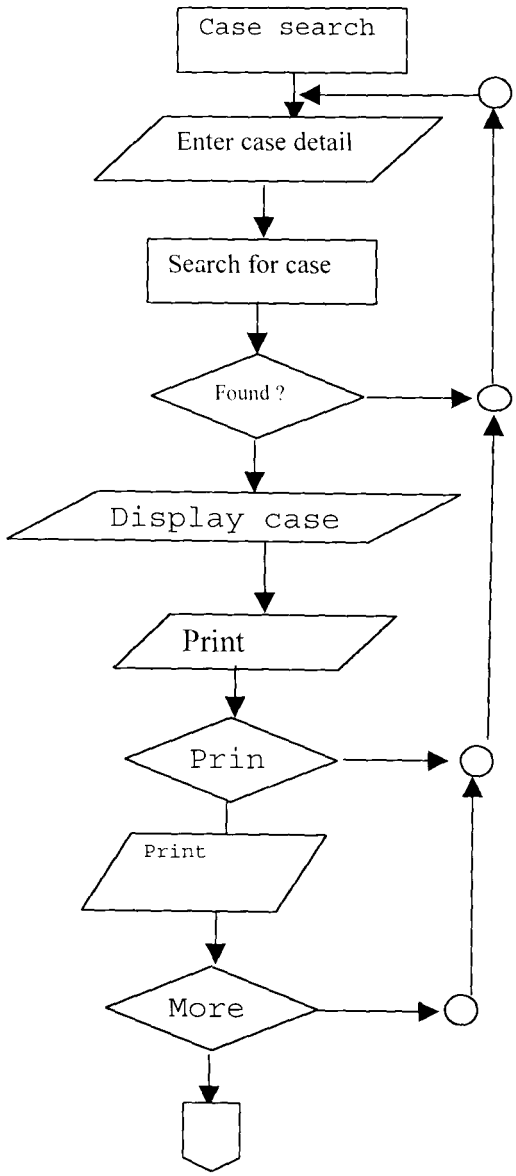
Procedural Outlook Chart



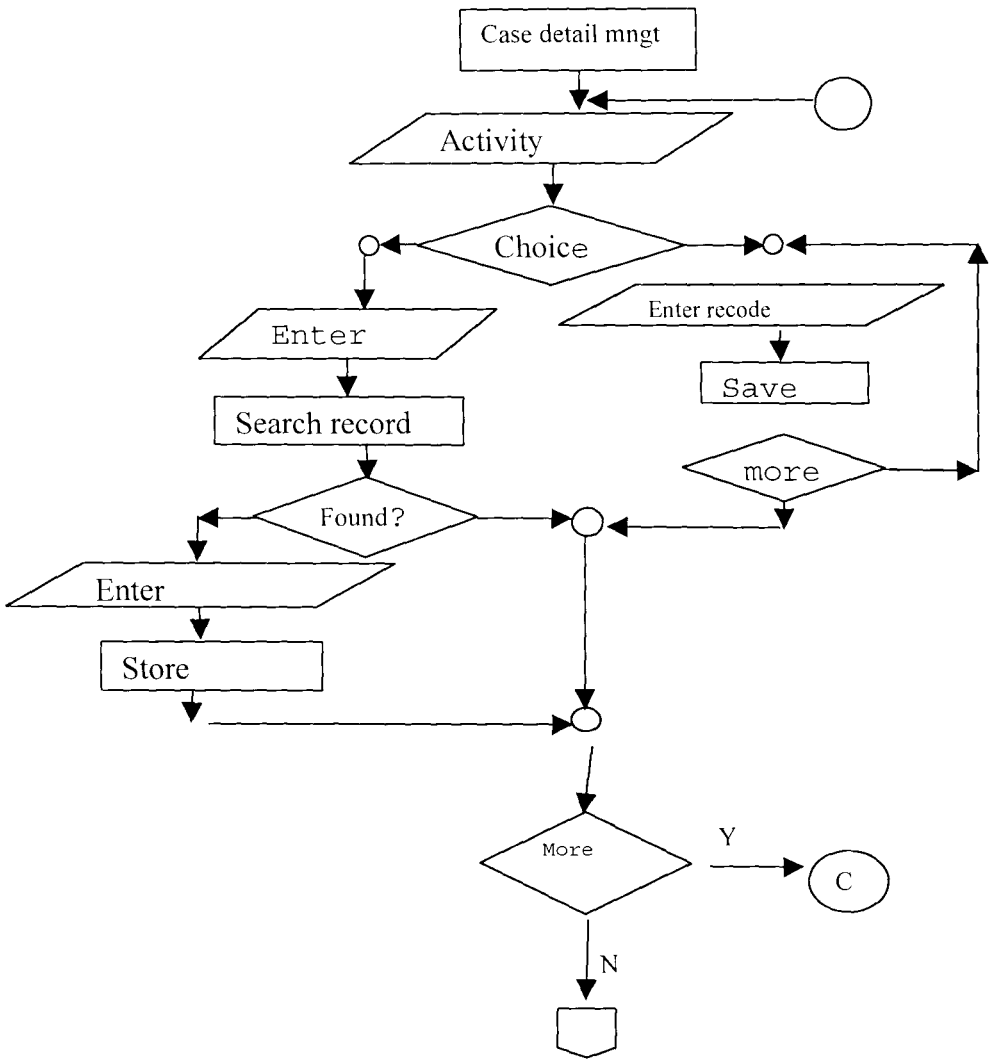
Code Management Flowchart



Record Search Flowchart



Case Detail Flowchart



CHAPTER FOUR

4.0 PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT/IMPLEMENTATION

4.1 INTRODUCTION:

The Legal Report Management System is software designed to assist legal professionals. It complements their effort in building up cases and substantiating their evidences with relevant cases in previous similar situation.

The legal report management system enables adequate search of cases from volumes of legal Report publication by providing guide to the actual or relevant publication out of the numerous volumes. It gives precise detail of the journal(s) containing the required case detail by this time is saved hence an increase in efficiency and productivity. It reduces the stress on the legal personnel and gives easy access to his "library".

4.2 PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE :

The program was developed with **Clipper 5.3.** Clipper is an advance data base management compiler. It does not have an editor, hence any text editor that can generate text format can be used to write the codes before compilation.

The system is linked with the **Exospace Linker**. This links program in protective mode and enable the program to make use of available space of up to 16MB and manages visual memory effectively. The **Exospace** is a DOS extender packaged with **Clipper 5.3.**

This program was coded using the QEDIT editor. The editor enables flexible text file manipulation. It allows multiple window access at the same time.

4.4 FEATURES OF CLIPPERS 5.3

The features includes the following:

1. It is fully a compiler with an effective linker. This generates object files from its compiler and generate Executable files from the linker.
2. The size of its executable files is relatively small compare to other database management application.
3. It has DOS Extender that enables the use of up to 16Mb of RAM if available, else visual memory is created to simulate enough RAM.
4. It can handle about for forty-seven data files at ones.
5. It has Replaceable Database Drivers that enable the use other database file manager such as FoxPro, dBase IV, PARADOX etc.
6. It has speed advantage because of the small size of its executable files.

4.4 PROGRAM/SOFTWARE EXECUTION

4.41 INSTALLATION

The program is easy to install, this is done by;

1. Make a directory to house the software on the hard disk.
   e.g **MD LEGAL press enter.**
2. Copy the Executable file to the directory
   e.g **COPY A:LEGAL.EXE press Enter.**

The installation disk contains only one file. This is done to make the program portable. All data files required for effective execution of the system are created at the run time. The first time you activate or lunch the system it will create all Data files, indexes files and memory file it requires.

The system creates text files when required.

4.42 STARTING THE PROGRAMME

Ensure you are currently in the legal directory if not

type **CD \LEGAL press enter.**

To run the software **type LEGAL press the enter key**.

4.43 SOFTWARE INTERFACE (MAIN MENU)

The system is manually driven with user friendly screen and menu. The menus are mouse control if you want. The system has three items on its horizontal menu. Each item has its pull down menu with appropriate menu routines. The horizontal menu contains;

1. **Code Setup**: This contains in the pull down menu the following;

   a. Add code **b.** Modify code **c.** Delete code **d.** Display code.

   A cascading menu appears after the selection of any of the above.

   The cascading menu contain the following options;

   a. Courts b. Case Type c. Journal Type.

2. **System Management**

This menu has in its pull down menu the following options.

a. Report management. **b.** Report Query **c.** Exit to Menu.

a. Report management provides a cascading menu with the following options.

- Add Records,
- Modify and Print.

b. Report Query: This option brings out the efficiency and the strength of the system. It provides the search window to build query based on any condition or set of conditions and produce the list of journals and cases that meets the query condition.

c. Exit to DOS. This option exits all files and exits the system.

4.44 SYSTEM MAINTENANCE:

The data files and index files are maintain as the program runs. The index files, are susceptible to corruption via current fluctuation hence, index files are created each time the program is executed.

4.45 HARDWARE SPECIFICATION (MINIMUM)

A Computer with 80286 processor

A Monitor (VGA) colored Monitor will be perfect.

A printer

RAM requirement of 2MB

Hard disk space of 20MB.

4.46 SOFTWARE SPECIFICATION

The system requires a minimum of DOS 3.0 to run. It can also run on Window

5.5 CONVERSION/CHANGE OVER

System installation and implementation requires great attention because its determines the base data quality, and system integrity. Change over refers to modalities of adopting the computerise system of managing the legal report.

Due to the major constraint of the project, all the data required are not available hence the need for a gradual change over which entails the manual search of cases complemented with the compterised system of the legal report management software.

The gradual change over is recommended to enable effective use of report in latest publications and publications not yet captured.

CHAPTER FIVE

5.0 SUMMARY

Computerisation of any legal system is based on the ability to the legal officer to obtain appropriate references available in the computer database, for the purpose of defending a client, obtaining authority or legal advice on a legal issue.
The lawyer today works in a computerised world and he functions in an information technology environment, he must adapt to the requirement of equipping self with computer skills.
The basic of any computer is the hardware treated as given in this project, the development of basic computer skills, also treated as given, and focuses on the need for an effective Computerisation.

Having set out to capture summaries from any type of legal reports published, the programme has the ability to effectively provide a quick search of document cases in legal reports, speeding up the ability of a solicitor, or advocate to perform his or her legal duties, and by extension enhance total effectiveness of legal officers and the judicial system in the dispensation of justice.

5.1 RECOMMENDATION

In the light of the computerised legal report management system, it is recommended that further studies on this work should address the use of hand held scanner as the data capture/entry media.

We therefore recommend the computerised Legal Report Management System to all legal practitioners to enhance their work.

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APPEENDIX

PROGRAMME CODING AND DOCUMENTATION

```
// This routine creates data files at data file creation point

DO CREATE_F
CLEAR
@ 12,15 SAY [FILE HAVE BEEN CREATED]
CANCEL

PROCEDURE CREATE_F
CLEAR
SET COLOR TO BG+/G
 @ 2,5 CLEAR TO  6,33
DECLARE FNM[11],FTP[11],FLN[11],FDC[11]
   IF A = "L"
      F_NAME = "\LEGAL\LIB_FIL.DBF"
        FNM[1]= "ITEMCODE"
         FTP[1] = "C"
         FLN[1] = 10
         FDC[1] = 0
        FNM[2]= "TITLE"
         FTP[2] = "C"
         FLN[2] = 2
         FDC[2] = 25
        FNM[3]= "D_PUB"
         FTP[3] = "D"
         FLN[3] = 8
         FDC[3] = 0
        FNM[4]= "PUB"
         FTP[4] = "C"
         FLN[4] = 25
         FDC[4] = 0
        FNM[5]= "BOOK_NUM"
         FTP[5] = "C"
         FLN[5] = 10
         FDC[5] = 0
        FNM[6]= "AUTHOUR"
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        FTP[6] = "C"
        FLN[6] = 25
        FDC[6] = 2
      FNM[7]= "COST"
        FTP[7] = "N"
        FLN[7] = 10
        FDC[7] = 2
      FNM[8]= "STATUS"
        FTP[8] = "C"
        FLN[8] = 1
        FDC[8] = 0
      FNM[9]= "BORO"
        FTP[9] = "C"
        FLN[9] = 25
        FDC[9] = 0
      FNM[10]= "D_LOAN"
        FTP[10] = "D"
        FLN[10] = 8
        FDC[10] = 0
      FNM[11]= "ITEMCLASS"
        FTP[11] = "C"
        FLN[11] = 2
        FDC[11] = 0


  CREATE NEW_FILE
  J = 0
  FOR J = 1 TO 11
     APPEND BLANK
     REPLACE FIELD_NAME WITH FNM[J]
     REPLACE FIELD_TYPE WITH FTP[J]
     REPLACE FIELD_LEN WITH FLN[J]
     REPLACE FIELD_DEC  WITH FDC[J]
  NEXT
ELSE
    F_NAME = "\LEGAL\CASE_FIL.DBF"
      FNM[1]= "A"
        FTP[1] = "C"
        FLN[1] = 10
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        FDC[1] = 0
       FNM[2]= "B"
        FTP[2] = "C"
        FLN[2] = 10
        FDC[2] = 0
       FNM[3]= "C"
        FTP[3] = "C"
        FLN[3] = 25
        FDC[3] = 0
       FNM[4]= "D"
        FTP[4] = "D"
        FLN[4] = 8
        FDC[4] = 0
       FNM[5]= "E"
        FTP[5] = "C"
        FLN[5] = 10
        FDC[5] = 0
       FNM[6]= "F"
         FTP[6] = "C"
         FLN[6] = 15
         FDC[6] = 2
       FNM[7]= "G"
         FTP[7] = "C"
         FLN[7] = 15
         FDC[7] = 0
       FNM[8]= "MEMO"
         FTP[8] = "C"
         FLN[8] = 10
         FDC[8] = 0
  CREATE NEW_FILE
  FOR J = 1 TO 8
     APPEND BLANK
     REPLACE FIELD_NAME WITH FNM[J]
     REPLACE FIELD_TYPE WITH FTP[J]
     REPLACE FIELD_LEN WITH FLN[J]
     REPLACE FIELD_DEC  WITH FDC[J]
  NEXT
ENDIF
  CREATE FILE_NAME FROM NEW_FILE
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   CLOSE
   ERASE NEW_FILE
RETURN



//   this file accepts and store data from legal reports
SET TALK OFF
SET STAT OFF
SET SCOR OFF
SET ESCAPE ON
SET EXACT ON
SET WRAP ON
SELE 1
USE CODE
FRAME  =  CHR(201)+CHR(205)+CHR(187)+CHR(186)+CHR(188)+CHR(205)
+CHR(200)+CHR(186)+CHR(176)
PUBLIC   COT_COUNT
SET FILTER TO ITEMCLASS = [A]
INDEX ON ITEMCLASS TO COURT
  N = 0
  COUNT FOR ITEMCLASS = [A] TO N
  COT_COUNT = N
  DECLARE COURTS[N],COURTSCODE[N]
  AFILL(COURTS," ")
  AFILL(COURTSCODE," ")
  GO TOP
  N = 0
  DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
    N= N + 1
   STORE ITEMDESC  TO COURTS[N]
    COURTSCODE[N] = ITEMCODE
    SKIP
  ENDDO


SET FILTER TO ITEMCLASS = [B]
INDEX ON ITEMCLASS TO CASES
  COUNT FOR ITEMCLASS = [B] TO N
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```
  CASE_COUNT = N
  DECLARE CASESS[N],CASESSCODE[N]
   AFILL(CASESS,"  ")
   AFILL(CASESSCODE,"  ")
  GO TOP
  N = 0
  DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
    N= N +1
    STORE ITEMDESC TO CASESS[N]
    CASESSCODE[N] = ITEMCODE
    SKIP
  ENDDO

SET FILTER TO ITEMCLASS = [C]

INDEX ON ITEMCLASS TO JOURNAL
  COUNT FOR ITEMCLASS = [C] TO N
  JOU_COUNT = N
  DECLARE JOURNAL[N],JOURNALCODE[N]
   AFILL(JOURNAL,"  ")
   AFILL(JOURNALCODE,"  ")
  N = 0
  GO TOP
  DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
    N= N +1
   STORE  ITEMDESC TO JOURNAL[N]
    JOURNALCODE[N] = ITEMCODE
    SKIP
  ENDDO

  IF ISCOLOR()
    COLORn= "W+/B,B/W"
     * &  Normal color
    COLORe= "W+/R"
      * &  Error box color
    COLORh= "N/GR"
    * &  Heading color
  else
    COLORn= "W+/N,N/W+"
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* &  Normal color
    COLORe= "N/W"
* &  Error box color
    COLORh= "N/GR"
    * &  Heading color
  ENDIF


DO WHILE .T.
ME = .T.
  CLEAR
 SET COLOR TO &COLORn
@ 0,0,20,79 BOX FRAME
@ 2,20 SAY [E. K.  A S H I E K A A  &  CO.]
@ 3,15 SAY [Barristers, Solicitors & Notary Public]
@ 5,30 SAY [LEAGL REPORTS MANAGEMENT MENU]
@ 6,1 TO 6,78 DOUBLE

  SET MESSAGE TO 23
  @ 7,16 PROMPT "1. ADD NEW RECORD        " MESSAGE [
ADD NEW CASE FILE OR CLIENTS FILE TO THE DATA POOL  ]
  @ 8,16 PROMPT "2. AMEND REPORT ENTRY    " MESSAGE [
     AMEND A PARTICULAR ENTRY                    ]
  @ 9,16 PROMPT "3. DELETE REPORT ENTRY   " MESSAGE [
  DELETE A PARTICULAR       REPORT ENTRY        ]
  @ 10,16 PROMPT "4. EXIT                 " MESSAGE [                          EXIT
TO MAIN MENU                        ]
    MENU TO CH
  DO CASE
  CASE CH = 1
    DO  REP_ENTRY
  CASE CH= 2
    DO REP_MOD
  CASE CH = 3
     DO REP_DEL
  CASE CH = 4
   CLOSE ALL
   RETURN
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  END CASE
  LOOP

ENDDO

PROCEDURE REP_ENTRY
SELE 2
USE LEGREPOT.DBF
* ---SET INDEX TO MEM_A
*    DO HEADING
   DO SCREEN_DISP
   A = " "
   @ 2,27 SAY "RECORD ENTRY PROCEDURE"
  DO WHILE LASTKEY() <> 27

     COT = SPACE(30)
     CAS_TP = SPACE(30)
     JOU = SPACE(30)
     JOU_V =[         ]
     CAS_TT= SPACE(30)
     DAT =CTOD("")
     CHI = SPACE(30)

        @ 5,14 SAY COT PICT "@S30"
        @ 5,55 SAY CAS_TP PICT "@S20"
        @ 7,14 SAY JOU  PICT "@S30"
        @ 7,55 SAY JOU_V PICT "@K!"
        @ 9,14 SAY CAS_TT  PICT "@S30!"
        @ 9,55 SAY DAT PICT "@K"
        @ 11,14 SAY CHI PICT "@KS30!"

   DECL PAD[COT_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO COT_COUNT
      PAD[J] =COURTS[J]
   NEXT J
      PAD[COT_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

    COT_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,1,21,77)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
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   @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
   @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF COURT]
   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
   DO WHILE .T.
   CHOICE =ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
   IF CHOICE = COT_COUNT + 1
     RETURN
   ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
    LOOP
   ENDIF
   @ 5,14 SAY COURTS[CHOICE] PICT "@S30"
     COT = COURTSCODE[CHOICE]
   EXIT
   ENDDO
   RESTSCREEN(10,1,21,77,COT_SCR)

      JOU_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,58,21,78)
      @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
      @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
      @ 10,61 SAY [JOURNAL TYPES ]

   DECL PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO JOU_COUNT
     PAD[J] = JOURNAL[J]
   NEXT J
   PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]
    REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
   DO WHILE .T.
   CHOICE = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
   IF CHOICE = JOU_COUNT + 1
     RETURN
   ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
    LOOP
   ENDIF
   EXIT
   ENDDO
   @ 7,14 SAY JOURNAL[CHOICE] PICT "@S15"
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    JOU = JOURNALCODE[CHOICE]
    RESTSCREEN(10,58,21,78,JOU_SCR)
*-- Enter a loop for entry in accordance to case type
  DO WHILE .T.

   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
    CAS_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,1,21,78)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
    @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
    @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF CASES]

   DECL PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO CASE_COUNT
     PAD1[J] = CASESS[J]
   NEXT J
   PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

   DO WHILE .T.
   CHO = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD1)
   IF CHO = CASE_COUNT + 1
     RETURN
   ELSEIF CHO =0
    LOOP
   ENDIF
   EXIT
 ENDDO
   @ 5,55 SAY CASESS[CHO] PICT "@S15"
    CAS_TP = CASESSCODE[CHO]
    RESTSCREEN(10,1,21,78,CAS_SCR)


   LIN_SCR = SAVESCREEN(23,1,23,78)
 * ----------------
   REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER JOURNAL VOLUME NUMEBER])
   @ 7,55 GET JOU_V PICT "@K!" VALID REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER CASE
TITLE])
   @ 9,14 GET CAS_TT PICT "@S30K!" VALID REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER
DATE OF THE CASE])
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  @ 9,55 GET DAT PICT "@K" VALID REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER NAME OF
THE CHIEF JUDGE])
  @ 11,14 GET CHI PICT "@S30K!"

  READ
  RESTSCREEN(23,1,23,78,LIN_SCR)
  IF LASTKEY() = 27
    RETURN
  ENDIF
  APPEND BLANK
  MEM_SCR = SAVESCREEN(14,1,23,78)

    @ 14,1 TO 22,78 DOUBLE
    @ 14,34 SAY [CASE SUMMARY]
    RE_DETAIL =[ ]
    REP_ACTION(23,[PRESS CTRL + W TO SAVE DETAIL. ESC => EXIT])

    REPLACE DETAIL WITH MEMOEDIT(RE_DETAIL,15,2,21,77, .T.)
    IF LASTKEY() = 27
      RETURN
    ENDIF

    REPLACE FCOT WITH COT,FCAS_TT WITH CAS_TT,FCAS_TP WITH
CAS_TP,FJOU WITH JOU
    REPLACE FDAT WITH DAT,FCHI WITH CHI,FJOU_VOL WITH JOU_V
    RESTSCREEN(14,1,23,78,MEM_SCR)
 ENDDO
ENDDO
RETURN

PROCEDURE SCREEN_DISP
SET COLOR TO &COLORe
CLEAR
FRAME = CHR(201)+CHR(205)+CHR(187)+CHR(186)+CHR(188)+CHR(205)
+CHR(200)+CHR(186)+CHR(176)
@ 0,0,24,79 BOX FRAME

@ 0,20 SAY [E. K. A S H I E K A A & CO.]
@ 1,15 SAY [Barristers, Solicitors & Notary Public]
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  SET COLOR TO W+/B
  @ 2,1 TO 2,78 DOUBLE
*   SET COLOR TO R/B

*--SET COLOR TO &COLORn
  @ 5,1  SAY [COURT     :]
  @ 5,45 SAY [CASE TYPE:]
  @ 7,1  SAY [JOURNAL   :]
  @ 7,45 SAY [JOUR. VOL.]
  @ 9,1  SAY [CASE TITLE :]
  @ 9,45 SAY [DATE    :]
  @ 11,1  SAY [CHIEF JUDGE:]
RETURN
PROCEDURE HEADING
  CLEAR

  MESS1 = [  E. K. A S H I E K A A  & CO.]
  MESS2 = [Barristers, Solicitors & Notary Public]
   ?
  @ 0,14 SAY MESS1
  @ 1,10 SAY MESS2
*--  SET COLOR TO W+/B
  @ 2,0 TO 2,79 DOUBLE
*--  SET COLOR TO R/B
  RETURN

FUNCTION REP_ACTION
  PARAMETER ABC,P
  SIZE = LEN(P)
  POSITION = INT((80 - SIZE)/2)
  SET COLOR TO &COLORe
  @ ABC,1 CLEAR TO ABC,78
  @ ABC,POSITION SAY P
  SET COLOR TO &COLORn
RETURN .T.
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PROCEDURE  REP_MOD
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SELE 2
USE LEGREPOT.DBF
* ---SET INDEX TO MEM_A
*   DO HEADING
   DO SCREEN_DISP
   A = " "
   @ 2,20 SAY "RECORD MODIFICATION PROCEDURE"
  DO WHILE LASTKEY() <> 27

      COT = SPACE(30)
      CAS_TP = SPACE(30)
      JOU = SPACE(30)
      JOU_V =[        ]
      CAS_TT= SPACE(30)
      DAT =CTOD("")
      CHI = SPACE(30)

          @ 5,14 SAY COT PICT "@KS30"
          @ 5,55 SAY CAS_TP PICT "@KS20"
          @ 7,14 SAY JOU  PICT "@KS30"
          @ 7,55 SAY JOU_V PICT "@K!"
          @ 9,14 SAY CAS_TT  PICT "@KS30!"
          @ 9,55 SAY DAT PICT "@K"
          @ 11,14 SAY CHI PICT "@KS30!"
         MODIF_SCR = SAVESCREEN(0,0,24,79)

   DECL PAD[COT_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO COT_COUNT
      PAD[J] =COURTS[J]
   NEXT J
      PAD[COT_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

   COT_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,1,21,77)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
    @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
    @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF COURT]
   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL  UP  &  DOWN  PRESS  ENTER  TO  SELECT
OPTION])
   DO WHILE .T.
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  CHOICE =ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
   IF CHOICE = COT_COUNT + 1
     RETURN
   ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
    LOOP
   ENDIF
   @ 5,14 SAY COURTS[CHOICE] PICT "@KS30"
     COT_NAME = COURTS[CHOICE]
     COT = COURTSCODE[CHOICE]
   EXIT
   ENDDO
   RESTSCREEN(10,1,21,77,COT_SCR)

   CAS_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,1,21,78)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 20,77
    @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
    @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF CASES]

   DECL PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO CASE_COUNT
     PAD1[J] = CASESS[J]
   NEXT J
   PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]
   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
   DO WHILE .T.
   CHO = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD1)
   IF CHO = CASE_COUNT + 1
     RETURN
   ELSEIF CHO =0
    LOOP
   ENDIF
   EXIT
    ENDDO
   @ 5,55 SAY CASESS[CHO] PICT "@KS20"
    CAS_NAME = CASESS[CHO]
* ---- CAS_TP store the code of each case   CAS_NAM store the descrition
    CAS_TP = CASESSCODE[CHO]
    RESTSCREEN(10,1,21,78,CAS_SCR)
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      JOU_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,58,21,78)
       @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
       @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
       @ 10,61 SAY [JOURNAL TYPES ]

   DECL PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO JOU_COUNT
     PAD[J] = JOURNAL[J]
   NEXT J
   PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]
   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
   DO WHILE .T.
   CHOICE = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
   IF CHOICE = JOU_COUNT + 1
     RETURN
   ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
    LOOP
   ENDIF
   EXIT
   ENDDO
   @ 7,14 SAY JOURNAL[CHOICE] PICT "@KS30"
    JOU_NAME = JOURNAL[CHOICE]
    JOU = JOURNALCODE[CHOICE]
    RESTSCREEN(10,58,21,78,JOU_SCR)

*    declearing arrays for records to be modified
    SET FILTER TO FCOT = COT .AND. FCAS_TP = CAS_TP .AND. FJOU =
JOU
    COUNT FOR  FCOT = COT .AND. FCAS_TP = CAS_TP .AND. FJOU =
JOU TO MODI_NUM
    DECL MODI_TT[MODI_NUM],MODI_POSI[MODI_NUM]
    DECL MODI_PAD[MODI_NUM + 1]
    GO TOP
    N= 0
    * Loading of the array
    DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
      N = N  + 1
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      MODI_POSI[N]=RECNO()
      MODI_PAD[N] = FCAS_TT
      SKIP
    ENDDO
    MODI_PAD[MODI_NUM + 1] = [EXIT TO MAIN MENU]
   MODI_SCR = SAVESCREEN(9,39,20,77)
    @ 9,39 CLEAR TO 20,77
    @ 9,39 TO 20,77 DOUBLE
    @ 9,48 SAY [SELECT CASE TITLE]

*---- Display item in file in menu form

   DO WHILE .T.
      MODI_CHO= ACHOICE(10,40,19,76,MODI_PAD)
      IF MODI_CHO = 0
        LOOP
       ELSEIF MODI_CHO = MODI_NUM + 1
        RESTSCREEN(9,39,20,77,MODI_SCR)
        RETURN
      ENDIF
      EXIT
   ENDDO
     RESTSCREEN(9,39,20,77,MODI_SCR)
*----Determine the record number of the record to modify
     MODI_NO =  MODI_POSI[MODI_CHO]
   GO MODI_NO

*---Display and accept new data
   @ 7,55 SAY FJOU_VOL
   @ 9,14 SAY FCAS_TT PICT "@KS30"
   @ 9,55 SAY FDAT  PICT "@K"
   @ 11,14 SAY FCHI PICT "@S30K"

  MEM_SCR = SAVESCREEN(14,1,23,78)
   @ 14,1 TO 22,78 DOUBLE
   @ 14,34 SAY [REPORT MODIFICATION]
    RE_DETAIL =[  ]

   REP_ACTION(23,[WANT TO MODIFY ?  CTRL + W = YES      ESC =>
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EXIT])

   MEMOEDIT(DETAIL,15,2,21,77, .F.)
   IF LASTKEY() = 27
     RETURN
   ENDIF
* -- Display the modfication screen to enhance modification
   RESTSCREEN(0,0,24,79,MODIF_SCR)
   DECL PAD[COT_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO COT_COUNT
      PAD[J] =COURTS[J]
   NEXT J
      PAD[COT_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

   COT_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,56,21,78)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,78
    @ 10,58  TO 21,78 DOUBLE
    @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF COURT]
    @ 5,14 SAY COT_NAME
   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
   DO WHILE .T.
   CHOICE =ACHOICE(11,59,20,77,PAD)
    IF CHOICE = COT_COUNT + 1
      RETURN
    ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
     LOOP
   ENDIF
   @ 5,14 SAY COURTS[CHOICE] PICT "@KS30"
     COT = COURTSCODE[CHOICE]
   EXIT
   ENDDO
   RESTSCREEN(10,56,21,78,COT_SCR)

   CAS_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,58,21,78)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,78
    @ 10,58  TO 21,78 DOUBLE
    @ 15,61 SAY [TYPES OF CASES]
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  DECL PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1]
  FOR J = 1 TO CASE_COUNT
    PAD1[J] = CASESS[J]
  NEXT J
  PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]
  @ 5,55 SAY CAS_NAME
  REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
  DO WHILE .T.
  CHO = ACHOICE(11,59,20,77,PAD1)
  IF CHO = CASE_COUNT + 1
    RETURN
  ELSEIF CHO =0
   LOOP
  ENDIF
  EXIT
   ENDDO
  @ 5,55 SAY CASESS[CHO] PICT "@KS20"
    CAS_TP = CASESSCODE[CHO]
   RESTSCREEN(10,58,21,78,CAS_SCR)

      JOU_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,58,21,78)
       @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,78
       @ 10,58  TO 21,78 DOUBLE
       @ 10,61 SAY [JOURNAL TYPES ]

  DECL PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1]
  FOR J = 1 TO JOU_COUNT
    PAD[J] = JOURNAL[J]
  NEXT J
  PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]
  @ 7,14 SAY JOU_NAME
  REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
  DO WHILE .T.
  CHOICE = ACHOICE(11,59,20,77,PAD)
  IF CHOICE = JOU_COUNT + 1
    RETURN
  ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
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  LOOP
 ENDIF
 EXIT
 ENDDO
 @ 7,14 SAY JOURNAL[CHOICE] PICT "@KS30"
  JOU = JOURNALCODE[CHOICE]
  RESTSCREEN(10,58,21,78,JOU_SCR)
 LIN_SCR = SAVESCREEN(23,1,21,78)

   JOU_V =  FJOU_VOL
   CAS_TT =  FCAS_TT
   DAT = FDAT
   CHI = FCHI



 REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER JOURNAL VOLUME NUMEBER])
 @ 7,55 GET JOU_V PICT "@K!" VALID  REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER CASE
TITLE])
 @ 9,14 GET CAS_TT PICT "@KS30!" VALID REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER
DATE OF THE CASE])
 @ 9,55 GET DAT PICT "@K" VALID REP_ACTION(23,[ENTER NAME OF
THE CHIEF JUDGE])
 @ 11,14 GET CHI PICT "@KS30!"
 READ
 RESTSCREEN(23,1,23,78,LIN_SCR)
 IF LASTKEY() = 27
   RETURN
 ENDIF
 MEM_SCR = SAVESCREEN(14,1,23,78)

 @ 14,1 TO 22,78 DOUBLE
 @ 14,34 SAY [CASE SUMMARY MODIFICATION]
  RE_DETAIL =[  ]

   REP_ACTION(23,[PRESS CTRL + W TO SAVE DETAIL. ESC => EXIT])
   IF LASTKEY() != 27
      REPLACE DETAIL WITH MEMOEDIT(DETAIL,15,2,21,77, .T.)
      REPLACE  FCOT  WITH  COT,FCAS_TT  WITH  CAS_TT,FCAS_TP
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   NEXT J
      PAD[COT_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

   COT_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,1,21,77)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
    @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
    @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF COURT]
   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
   DO WHILE .T.
    CHOICE =ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
    IF CHOICE = COT_COUNT + 1
       RETURN
    ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
       LOOP
   ENDIF
     @ 5,14 SAY COURTS[CHOICE] PICT "@KS30"
     COT = COURTSCODE[CHOICE]
   EXIT
   ENDDO
   RESTSCREEN(10,1,21,77,COT_SCR)

   CAS_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,58,21,78)
    @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 20,77
    @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
    @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF CASES]
   REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])

   DECL PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1]
   FOR J = 1 TO CASE_COUNT
     PAD1[J] = CASESS[J]
   NEXT J
   PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

   DO WHILE .T.
    CHO = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD1)
    IF CHO = CASE_COUNT + 1
       RETURN
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      ELSEIF CHO =0
        LOOP
      ENDIF
      EXIT
    ENDDO
    @ 5,55 SAY CASESS[CHO] PICT "@KS20"
     CAS_TP = CASESSCODE[CHO]
     RESTSCREEN(10,58,21,78,CAS_SCR)

       JOU_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,58,21,78)
        @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
        @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
        @ 10,61 SAY [JOURNAL TYPES ]
    DECL PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1]
    FOR J = 1 TO JOU_COUNT
      PAD[J] = JOURNAL[J]
    NEXT J
    PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]
    REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])

    DO WHILE .T.
    CHOICE = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
    IF CHOICE = JOU_COUNT + 1
      RETURN
    ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
     LOOP
    ENDIF
    EXIT
    ENDDO
    @ 7,14 SAY JOURNAL[CHOICE] PICT "@KS30"
     JOU = JOURNALCODE[CHOICE]
     RESTSCREEN(10,58,21,78,JOU_SCR)

*     declearing arrays for records to be modified
     SET FILTER TO FCOT = COT .AND. FCAS_TP = CAS_TP .AND. FJOU =
JOU
     COUNT FOR  FCOT = COT .AND. FCAS_TP = CAS_TP .AND. FJOU =
JOU TO MODI_NUM
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   DECL MODI_TT[MODI_NUM],MODI_POSI[MODI_NUM]
   DECL MODI_PAD[MODI_NUM + 1]
   GO TOP
   N= 0
   * Loading of the array
   DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
     N = N  + 1
     MODI_POSI[N]=RECNO()
     MODI_PAD[N] = FCAS_TT
     SKIP
   ENDDO
   MODI_PAD[MODI_NUM + 1] = [EXIT TO MAIN MENU]
   MODI_SCR = SAVESCREEN(9,39,20,77)
   @ 9,39 CLEAR TO 20,77
   @ 9,39 TO 20,77 DOUBLE
   @ 9,48 SAY [SELECT CASE TITLE]

*---- Display item in file in menu form

  DO WHILE .T.
     MODI_CHO= ACHOICE(10,40,19,76,MODI_PAD)
     IF MODI_CHO = 0
       LOOP
      ELSEIF MODI_CHO = MODI_NUM + 1
       RESTSCREEN(9,39,20,77,MODI_SCR)
       RETURN
     ENDIF
     EXIT
  ENDDO
    RESTSCREEN(9,39,20,77,MODI_SCR)
*----Determine the record number of the record to modify
    MODI_NO =  MODI_POSI[MODI_CHO]
    GO MODI_NO

*---Display and accept new data
  @ 7,55 SAY FJOU_VOL
  @ 9,14 SAY FCAS_TT PICT "@KS30"
  @ 9,55 SAY FDAT  PICT "@K"
  @ 11,14 SAY FCHI PICT "@S30K"
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  MEM_SCR = SAVESCREEN(14,1,23,78)
   @ 14,1 TO 22,78 DOUBLE
   @ 14,36 SAY [REPORT DELETION]
    RE_DETAIL =[ ]
   REP_ACTION(23,[WANT TO DELETE ?  CTRL + W = YES      ESC =>
EXIT])
   MEMOEDIT(DETAIL,15,2,21,77, .F.)
   IF LASTKEY() = 27
     RETURN
   ENDIF
   DELETE
   PACK
   DO ERRORS WITH [RECORD HAVE BEEN DELETED]
   RESTSCREEN(0,0,24,79,DELE_SCR)

 ENDDO
RETURN


PROC ERRORS
PARA MSG
 PRIVATE BXR1,BXC1,BXR2,BXC2,BOXR1,BOXC1,BOXR2,BOXC2
 PR_ENT = [PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE]
 BXR1 = ROW()
 BXC1 = COL()
 LENT = 0

 IF BXR1 + 6 >= 23
   BOXR1  = 23 - 7
 ELSE
   BOXR1 = BXR1
 ENDIF
  BOXR2 = BOXR1 + 6

     IF  LEN(PR_ENT) > LEN(MSG)
       LENT = LEN(PR_ENT)
     ELSE
        LENT = LEN(MSG)
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      ENDIF
         LENT = LENT + 2

   IF BXC1 + LENT + 2 >= 80
     BOXC1  = 80 - (LENT+2)
   ELSE
      BOXC1 = BXC1
   ENDIF
   BOXC2 =  BOXC1 + LENT + 2

 LR1 = BOXR2 + 1
 LR2 = BOXC2 +1

 ERRORSCR = SAVESCREEN(BOXR1,BOXC1,LR1,LR2)
 @ BOXR1,BOXC1 CLEAR TO LR1,LR2
  FRAME                                                                    =
CHR(201)+CHR(205)+CHR(187)+CHR(186)+CHR(188)+CHR(205)
+CHR(200)+CHR(186)+CHR(176)
  @ BOXR1,BOXC1, BOXR2,BOXC2  BOX FRAME

   IF LENT > LEN(PR_ENT)
      S_COL =(LENT - LEN(PR_ENT))/2 + BOXC1
   ELSE
      S_COL =  BOXC1 + 1
   ENDIF
  @ BOXR1 + 2,BOXC1 + 1 SAY MSG
  @ BOXR1 + 4,S_COL SAY PR_ENT
  O = INKEY(0)
  RESTSCREEN(BOXR1,BOXC1,LR1,LR2,ERRORSCR)

RETURN



// this file performs the recrd management . That is search for record
SELE 1
USE CODE
SELE 2
USE LEGREPOT.DBF
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SELE 1
PUBLIC  COT_COUNT,J
STORE                                    0                                    TO
LOPER1,LOPER2,LOPER3,LOPER4,LOPER5,LOPER6,LOPER7,LOPER8,LOP
ER9,CORECT
STORE .F. TO LC1,LC2,LC3,LC4,LC5,LC6,LC7,LC8,LC9

SET FILTER TO ITEMCLASS = [A]
INDEX ON ITEMCLASS TO COURT
  N = 0
  COUNT FOR ITEMCLASS = [A] TO N
  COT_COUNT = N
  DECLARE COURTS[N],COURTSCODE[N]
  AFILL(COURTS,"  ")
  AFILL(COURTSCODE,"  ")
  GO TOP
  N = 0
  DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
    N= N + 1
    STORE ITEMDESC  TO COURTS[N]
    COURTSCODE[N] = ITEMCODE
    SKIP
  ENDDO
CLEAR

SET FILTER TO ITEMCLASS = [B]
INDEX ON ITEMCLASS TO CASES
  COUNT FOR ITEMCLASS = [B] TO N
  CASE_COUNT = N
  DECLARE CASESS[N],CASESSCODE[N]
   AFILL(CASESS,"  ")
   AFILL(CASESSCODE,"  ")
  GO TOP
  N = 0
  DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
    N= N +1
    STORE ITEMDESC TO CASESS[N]
    CASESSCODE[N] = ITEMCODE
    SKIP
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  ENDDO

SET FILTER TO ITEMCLASS = [C]
INDEX ON ITEMCLASS TO JOURNAL
  COUNT FOR ITEMCLASS = [C] TO N
  JOU_COUNT = N
  DECLARE JOURNAL[N],JOURNALCODE[N]
   AFILL(JOURNAL," ")
   AFILL(JOURNALCODE," ")
  N = 0
  GO TOP
  DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
    N= N +1
   STORE  ITEMDESC TO JOURNAL[N]
    JOURNALCODE[N] = ITEMCODE
    SKIP
  ENDDO

FRAME  =  CHR(201)+CHR(205)+CHR(187)+CHR(186)+CHR(188)+CHR(205)
+CHR(200)+CHR(186)+CHR(8)
@ 0,0,20,79 BOX FRAME
@ 1,20 SAY [E. K.  A S H I E K A A  &  CO.]
@ 2,15 SAY [Barristers, Solicitors & Notary Public]
@ 4,30 SAY [LEAGL REPORTS QUERY]
@ 5,1 TO 5,78 DOUBLE
@ 5,32 SAY [REPORT CONDITIONS]
  IF ISCOLOR()
    COLORn= "W+/B,B/W"
     * &  Normal color
    COLORe= "W+/R"
      * &  Error box color
    COLORh= "N/GR"
    * &  Heading color
  else
    COLORn= "W+/N,N/W+"

 * &  Normal color
    COLORe= "N/W"
 * &  Error box color
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    COLORh= "N/GR"
    * &  Heading color
  ENDIF
SET COLOR TO &COLORn

DO QUERRY
PROCEDURE QUERRY
ROW = 5

DO WHILE .T.
    DECLARE CONDITION[5],DATA[5],OPERATOR[5],LOGI_OPE[4]
    STORE                                SPACE(2)                              TO
CONDITION1,CONDITION2,CONDITION3,CONDITION4,CONDITION5
    STORE SPACE(2) TO DATA1,DATA2,DATA3,DATA4,DATA5
    STORE                                  0                                   TO
OPERATOR1,OPERATOR2,OPERATOR3,OPERATOR4,OPERATOR5

    J = 0
    DEF_CON = 0
    COUNT = 0
    @ 6,1 CLEAR TO 10,78
    DO WHILE COUNT < 5

* --This displays the type condition to build
      COUNT = COUNT + 1
      @ ROW + COUNT,3 SAY STR(COUNT,1)+[.]
      PROm_SCR = SAVESCREEN(12,30,19,48)
      @ 12,30 CLEAR TO 19,48
      @ 12,30 TO 19,48 DOUBLE
      @ 13,32 PROMPT [TYPE OF COURT  ]
      @ 14,32 PROMPT [TYPE OF CASE   ]
      @ 15,32 PROMPT [NAME OF JOURNAL]
      @ 16,32 PROMPT [CHIEF JUDGE    ]
      @ 17,32 PROMPT [DATE OF CASE   ]
      @ 18,32 PROMPT [EXIT TO MENU   ]

      MENU  TO CON_CHOICE
      IF  CON_CHOICE = 5
        CONDITION = "CONDITION"+ALLTRIM(STR(COUNT))
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      &CONDITION  = "  "
      DATA = "DATA"+ALLTRIM(STR(COUNT))
      &DATA = CTOD("")
    ELSE

      CONDITION = "CONDITION"+ALLTRIM(STR(COUNT))
       &CONDITION  = "  "
      DATA = "DATA"+ALLTRIM(STR(COUNT))
      &DATA = " "
    ENDIF
    IF  CON_CHOICE =  1
      &CONDITION = [FCOT]
      COND_DISP = [COURT TYPE]
    ELSEIF  CON_CHOICE = 2
      &CONDITION = [FCAS_TP]
      COND_DISP = [TYPES OF CASE]
    ELSEIF  CON_CHOICE = 3
      &CONDITION  = [FJOU]
      COND_DISP = [TYPES OF JOURNAL]
    ELSEIF  CON_CHOICE = 4
      &CONDITION = [FCHI]
      COND_DISP = [CHIEF JUDGE]
    ELSEIF  CON_CHOICE = 5
      &CONDITION = [FDAT]
      COND_DISP = [DATE OF CASE]
    ELSEIF  CON_CHOICE = 6
      RETURN
    ENDIF
    RESTSCREEN(12,30,19,48,PROm_SCR)
    @ ROW + COUNT,7 SAY COND_DISP



*--Next line creates memory variable for operators such as OPERARTOR1,
OPERATOR
        OPERATOR =  "OPERATOR" +ALLTRIM(STR(COUNT))

     IF  CON_CHOICE = 5
* ----  This executed if the conditon to evaluate is a date
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*------OPE_SCR = variable for operator Menu

        OPERATOR_SCR = SAVESCREEN(12,30,19,48)
        @ 12,30 CLEAR TO 19,48
        @ 12,30 TO 19,48 DOUBLE
        @ 13,32 PROMPT [GREATER THAN   ]
        @ 14,32 PROMPT [GREATER/EQUAL  ]
        @ 15,32 PROMPT [LESS TAHN      ]
        @ 16,32 PROMPT [LESS / EQUAL   ]
        @ 17,32 PROMPT [EQUAL          ]
        MENU  TO OPE_CHOICE
        RESTSCREEN(12,30,19,48, OPERATOR_SCR)

        IF OPE_CHOICE = 1
          &OPERATOR = 1
          OPE_SCR = [GREATER]
        ELSEIF OPE_CHOICE = 2
          &OPERATOR  = 2
          OPE_SCR = [GREATER/EQUAL]
        ELSEIF OPE_CHOICE = 3
          &OPERATOR  = 3
          OPE_SCR = [LESS THAN]
        ELSEIF OPE_CHOICE = 4
          &OPERATOR = 4
          OPE_SCR = [LESS/EQUAL]
        ELSEIF OPE_CHOICE = 5
          &OPERATOR = 5
          OPE_SCR = [EQUAL]
        ELSEIF OPE_CHOICE = 6
          RETURN
        ENDIF
      ELSE
          &OPERATOR = 1
          OPE_SCR = [EQUAL]
      ENDIF
      @ ROW +COUNT, 27 SAY OPE_SCR

*--The next line creates data entry varibles such as DATA1,DATA2 ETC.
         DATA  = "DATA" + ALLTRIM(STR(COUNT))
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* --------   CON_CHOICE accepts the condintion specified
      IF CON_CHOICE = 1
        DECL PAD[COT_COUNT + 1]
        FOR J = 1 TO COT_COUNT
          PAD[J] =COURTS[J]
        NEXT J
        PAD[COT_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

        COT_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,1,21,77)
        @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
        @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
        @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF COURT]
        REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
        DO WHILE .T.
          CHOICE =ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
          IF CHOICE = COT_COUNT + 1
            RETURN
          ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
            LOOP
          ENDIF
          DATA_SCR = COURTS[CHOICE]
          &DATA = COURTSCODE[CHOICE]
          EXIT
        ENDDO
        RESTSCREEN(10,1,21,77,COT_SCR)
    ELSEIF CON_CHOICE = 3
        JOU_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,58,21,78)
        @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
        @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
        @ 10,61 SAY [JOURNAL TYPES ]

        DECL PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1]
        FOR J = 1 TO JOU_COUNT
           PAD[J] = JOURNAL[J]
        NEXT J
        PAD[JOU_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]
        REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
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        DO WHILE .T.
            CHOICE = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD)
          IF CHOICE = JOU_COUNT + 1
            RETURN
          ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
           LOOP
          ENDIF
          EXIT
        ENDDO
        DATA_SCR = JOURNAL[CHOICE]
        &DATA = JOURNALCODE[CHOICE]

        RESTSCREEN(10,58,21,78,JOU_SCR)
      ELSEIF CON_CHOICE = 2
        REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
        CAS_SCR = SAVESCREEN(10,1,21,78)
        @ 10,58 CLEAR TO 21,77
        @ 10,58  TO 21,77 DOUBLE
        @ 10,61 SAY [TYPES OF CASES]

        DECL PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1]
         FOR J = 1 TO CASE_COUNT
           PAD1[J] = CASESS[J]
         NEXT J
         PAD1[CASE_COUNT + 1] = [EXIT TO MENU]

         DO WHILE .T.
          CHO = ACHOICE(11,59,20,76,PAD1)
          IF CHO = CASE_COUNT + 1
              RETURN
          ELSEIF CHO =0
               LOOP
          ENDIF
          EXIT
        ENDDO
        DATA_SCR = CASESS[CHO]
        &DATA = CASESSCODE[CHO]
        RESTSCREEN(10,1,21,78,CAS_SCR)
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    ELSEIF CON_CHOICE = 4
       DATA_SCR =SPACE(30)
       @ ROW + COUNT,44 GET DATA_SCR PICT "@S20!k"
       READ
       &DATA = ALLTRIM(DATA_SCR)

    ELSEIF CON_CHOICE = 5
       DATA_DATE = CTOD("")
       @ ROW + COUNT,44 GET DATA_DATE
       READ
       &DATA = DATA_DATE
    ENDIF
    IF CON_CHOICE < 4
* --       Valid if the subject or condition is not date and and name of judge
       @ ROW + COUNT,44 SAY DATA_SCR
    ENDIF

        FRAME2=
CHR(201)+CHR(205)+CHR(187)+CHR(186)+CHR(188)+CHR(205)
+CHR(200)+CHR(186)+CHR(176)
         LOGICAL_SCR = SAVESCREEN(12,30,19,43)
         @ 12,30 CLEAR TO 19,43
         @ 12,30,19,43 BOX FRAME2
         @ 13,32 PROMPT [AND    ]
         @ 15,32 PROMPT [OR     ]
         @ 17,32 PROMPT [COMPLETE]
         MENU  TO LOG_CHOICE
         IF COUNT < 5
            RESTSCREEN(12,30,19,43,LOGICAL_SCR)
            IF LOG_CHOICE = 1
              LOGI_OPE[COUNT] = [1]
              LOG_SCR = [AND]
            ELSEIF LOG_CHOICE = 2
              LOGI_OPE[COUNT] = [2]
              LOG_SCR = [OR]
            ELSE
              LOG_SCR = [COMPLETE]
            ENDIF
            @ ROW + COUNT,70 SAY LOG_SCR
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            IF LOG_CHOICE = 3
              DEF_CON = DEF_CON + 1
              EXIT
            ENDIF
          ELSE
            RESTSCREEN(12,30,19,43,LOGICAL_SCR)
            @ ROW + COUNT,70 SAY [COMPLETE]
            DEF_CON = DEF_CON + 1
            EXIT
          ENDIF
      @ 12,0 CLEAR
//      ? &CONDITION
 //     ? &OPERATOR
  //    ? &DATA1
    // ? COUNT
    // WAIT
   ENDDO
   SELE LEGREPOT
   N = LASTREC()
   ? N
   WAIT
* ----    Begin the testing of conditions
   DECL SATIFY[N+1],SATIFY_NO[N],TT_PAD[N+1]

    GO TOP
    DO CASE
       CASE DEF_CON = 1
          DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
           C1=.F.
            AA=&CONDITION1

           DO ANALYSIS WITH AA,OPERATOR1,DATA1,C1

              IF C1=.T.
              DO STO_ARAY
             ENDIF
            SKIP
           ENDDO
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      J = J +1
      SATIFY[J] =[EXIT TO MENU / ANOTHER CONDITION]

CASE DEF_CON=2


       DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
      STORE .F. TO C1,C2
       AA=&CONDITION1
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA,OPERATOR1, DATA1, C1
      AA=&CONDITION2
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA,OPERATOR2  , DATA2, C2
        IF LOGI_OPE[1] = 1
              IF C1=.T. .AND. C2=.T.
           DO STO_ARAY
            ENDIF
         ELSEIF LOGI_OPE[1] = 2
               IF C1=.T. .OR. C2=.T.
           DO STO_ARAY
           ENDIF
          ELSE
         ENDIF
        SKIP
       ENDDO
      J = J +1
      SATIFY[J] =[EXIT TO MENU / ANOTHER CONDITION]

CASE DEF_CON=3
       DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
      STORE .F. TO C1,C2,C3,CL1
       AA=&CONDITION1
       DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR1 , DATA1, C1
         AA=&CONDITION2
       DO ANALYSIS WITH AA,OPERATOR2 , DATA2, C2
        AA=&CONDITION3
       DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR3 , DATA3, C3

       DO EVALCOND WITH LOGI_OPE[1] , C1, C2,LC1
        IF LOGI_OPE[2] = 1
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            IF LC1=.T. .AND. C3=.T.
            DO STO_ARAY
              ENDIF
        ELSEIF LOGI_OPE[2] = 2
              IF LC1=.T. .OR. C3=.T.
            DO STO_ARAY
              ENDIF
          ENDIF

        SKIP
       ENDDO
      J = J +1
      SATIFY[J] =[EXIT TO MENU / ANOTHER CONDITION]

CASE DEF_CON=4
      DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
     STORE .F. TO C1,C2,C3,C4,CL1,CL2
      AA=&CONDITION1
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR1 , DATA1, C1
        AA=&CONDITION2
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA,OPERATOR2 , DATA2, C2
       AA=&CONDITION3
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR3 , DATA3, C3
       AA=&CONDITION4
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR4 , DATA4, C4

      DO EVALCOND WITH LOGI_OPE[1], C1, C2,LC1
      DO EVALCOND WITH LOGI_OPE[2] , LC1, C3,LC2
       IF LOGI_OPE[3] = 1
            IF LC2=.T. .AND. C4=.T.
            DO STO_ARAY
          ELSE
              LC2=.F.
          ENDIF
        ELSEIF LOGI_OPE[3] = 2
             IF LC2=.T. .OR. C4=.T.
            DO STO_ARAY
          ENDIF
          ENDIF
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        SKIP
       ENDDO
      J = J +1
      SATIFY[J] =[EXIT TO MENU / ANOTHER CONDITION]

CASE DEF_CON=5
      DO WHILE .NOT. EOF()
      STORE .F. TO C1,C2,C3,C4,C5,CL1,CL2,CL3

      AA = &CONDITION[1]
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR1 , DATA1, C1
        AA = &CONDITION2
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA,OPERATOR2, DATA2, C2
       AA = &CONDITION3
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR3 , DATA3, C3
       AA = &CONDITION4
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR4 , DATA4, C4
       AA = &CONDITION5
      DO ANALYSIS WITH AA, OPERATOR5 , DATA5 , C5

      DO EVALCOND WITH LOGI_OPE[1] , C1, C2,LC1
      DO EVALCOND WITH LOGI_OPE[2] , LC1, C3,LC2
      DO EVALCOND WITH LOGI_OPE[3] , LC2, C4,LC3

        IF LOGI_OPE[4]=1
             IF LC3=.T. .AND. C5=.T.
              DO STO_ARAY
            ENDIF
        ELSEIF LOGI_OPE[4]=2
              IF LC3=.T. .OR. C5=.T.
            DO STO_ARAY
           ENDIF
           ENDIF
        SKIP
       ENDDO
      J = J +1
      SATIFY[J] =[EXIT TO MENU / ANOTHER CONDITION]

ENDCASE
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* ENDDO

* --- Display records that are in the array
   IF  CORECT = 0
    CLEAR
    @ 10,11 SAY [NO MATCHING RECORD IN DATA FILE]
   ENDIF

  TT_SCR =SAVESCREEN(11,19,23,78)
  @ 11,19 CLEAR TO 23,78
  @ 11,19 TO 22,78 DOUBLE
     @ 11,30 SAY [ SELECT TITLE ]
       REP_ACTION(23,[SCROLL UP & DOWN PRESS ENTER TO SELECT
OPTION])
        DO WHILE .T.
          CHOICE =ACHOICE(12,20,21,77,SATIFY)
          IF CHOICE = N+1
            RESTSCREEN(11,19,23,78,TT_SCR)
            RETURN
          ELSEIF CHOICE = 0
            LOOP
          ENDIF
        ENDDO
          REC_NUM = SATIFY_NO[CHOICE]
          GO REC_NUM

          DET_SCR = SAVESCREEN(12,44,22,78)
          @ 12,44 CLEAR TO 22,78
          @ 12,44 TO 22,78 DOUBLE
          SET COLOR TO GR/R


*           MEMOEDIT(DETAIL,15,2,21,77, .T.)
*     REPLACE FCOT WITH COT,FCAS_TT WITH CAS_TT,FCAS_TP WITH
CAS_TP,FJOU WITH JOU
*     REPLACE FDAT WITH DAT,FCHI WITH CHI,FJOU_VOL WITH JOU_V
*     RESTSCREEN(14,1,23,78,MEM_SCR)

@ 11,1 TO 11,78
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@ 11,33 SAY [MATCHING CASES]

ENDDO

FUNCTION REP_ACTION
 PARAMETER ABC,P
 SIZE = LEN(P)
 POSITION = INT((80 - SIZE)/2)
 SET COLOR TO &COLORe
 @ ABC,1 CLEAR TO ABC,78
 @ ABC,POSITION SAY P
 SET COLOR TO &COLORn
RETURN .T.

FUNCTION LOTUSME
  PARA R,I,MSG1,MSG2,MSG3,MSG4,MSG6
  lAST_SCR = SAVESCREEN(0,01,24,79)
  PRIVATE C
  C = 0
  C = LEN(MSG1) + LEN(MSG2) + I
  IF PCOUNT() = 5
    C= C + LEN(MSG3) + I
  ENDIF
  IF PCOUNT() = 6
    C= C + LEN(MSG4) + I
  ENDIF
  IF PCOUNT() = 7
    C= C + LEN(MSG5) + I
  ENDIF
  @ R,0
  C = INT((80 -C)/2)
  @ R,C  PROMPT MSG1
  @ R,C+LEN(MSG1) +I PROMPT MSG2
  IF TYPE("MSG3") = "C"
     @ R,C+LEN(MSG1) + I + LEN(MSG2) + I PROMPT MSG3
  ENDIF
  IF TYPE("MSG4") = "C"
     @ R,C+LEN(MSG1) + I + LEN(MSG2) + I+ LEN(MSG3)+I PROMPT
MSG4
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  ENDIF
  IF TYPE("MSG5") = "C"
     @ R,C+LEN(MSG1) + I + LEN(MSG2) + I+ LEN(MSG3)+I + LEN(MSG4)
PROMPT MSG5
  ENDIF

  MENU TO OPTION
  RESTSCREEN(0,01,24,79,lAST_SCR)
RETURN OPTION

PROCEDURE ANALYSIS

** ----- This routine analyses each condition  for adequate job

*           AA     ,OPERATOR1,DATA1,C1
  PARAMETER OPERAND1,OPERATOR,OPERAND2,CC1
  STORE .F. TO CC1
    OP= OPERAND1
* --- This condition test and trims the spaces in xter data item

    IF TYPE(OPERAND2) = [C]
      OPERAND2=ALLTRIM(STR(OPERAND2))
    ENDIF
   DO CASE
     CASE OPERATOR = 1
      IF OPERAND1 = OPERAND2
          CC1=.T.
          CORECT = CORECT +1

      ENDIF
        CASE OPERATOR =2
          IF OPERAND1 > OPERAND2
            CC1 = .T.
          CORECT = CORECT +1

          ENDIF

        CASE OPERATOR =3
          IF OPERAND1 >= OPERAND2
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          CC1 = .T.
         CORECT = CORECT +1

         ENDIF

       CASE OPERATOR =4
         IF OPERAND1 < OPERAND2
          CC1 = .T.
         CORECT = CORECT +1

         ENDIF

       CASE OPERATOR =5
         IF OPERAND1 <= OPERAND2
         CORECT = CORECT +1
         CC1 = .T.
         ENDIF
  ENDCASE


   RETURN

 PROCEDURE STO_ARAY
* --- This routine stores  matching records to an array
       J = J +1
       SATIFY[J] =FCAS_TT
       SATIFY_NO[J] = RECNO()
 RETURN


PROCEDURE EVALCOND
PARAMETER LOGIC_OP,CONDI_1,CONDI_2,LOGICAL
// This procedure evalutes each logical condition

          IF LOGIC_OP = 1
                IF CONDI_1 = .T. .AND. CONDI_2 =.T.
                  LOGICAL = .T.
                ELSE
                  LOGICAL = .F.
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            ENDIF
          ELSEIF LOGIC_OP = 2
             IF CONDI_1 = .T. .OR. CONDI_2 =.T.
              LOGICAL = .T.
             ELSE
              LOGICAL = .F.
          ENDIF
          ENDIF
RETURN
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                ENDIF
               ELSEIF LOGIC_OP = 2
                  IF CONDI_1 = .T. .OR. CONDI_2 =.T.
                    LOGICAL = .T.
                  ELSE
                    LOGICAL = .F.
                 ENDIF
                 ENDIF
RETURN
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OF OF CASE	: 07/03/95
F JUDGE	: S.O. OJUTALAYO
TITLE	: FAWEHINMI V. ABACHA
SUMMARY BELOW	: FAWEHINMI V. ABACHA

:

A detainee can be granted bail at an exparte satge pending the determination of his ication for the enforcement of his fundamental rights.

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The applicant is a legal practitioner, human rights activist and National Co-ordinator of the onal Conscience party. He was arrested on monday July 3rd, 1995 at about 9.00pm by men who tified themselves as operatives of the State Security Service (SSS) in his Law Chambers, No 35 .ran Ajo Road, Ajao Estate, Anthony Village, Lagos He was afterwards whisked away and detained ie State Security Service (SSS) detention centre at Shangisha, Lagos State.

quently, on the 4th July, 1995, the applicant through his counsel, filled an exparte application eave to enforce his fundamental rights. He also asked, amongst other reliefs, the court do order espondents to produce him in court on a named date pending the hearing and determination of the n on notice. The trial Judge herald the application and granted both the leave and the order roduction sought amongst other reliefs.

IENT:

It is hereby ordered:

1. That the applicant shall forthwith be released on bail on his personal recognisance pending the determination of his said application for enforcement of his human rights.
2. That he shall however be physically present in court during the hearing of the said application.