



Security and traffic measures around the summit have been intensified, including deployment of large police contingents, to manage congestion and public safety.

## **Judicial Reforms & Virtual Hearings**

Virtual hearings became common in India after the COVID-19 pandemic, leading to hybrid modes of court functioning nationwide.

Courts have developed standard operating procedures (SOPs) and infrastructure for video conferencing to support smooth digital proceedings.

## **Important Terms**

**Virtual Hearing:** Court proceedings conducted via video conferencing without physical attendance.

**Hybrid Mode:** Simultaneous option for both physical and virtual appearance before the court.

**Access to Justice:** Ensuring all individuals can seek and obtain a remedy through formal or informal institutions.