



PUNJAB STATE LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY
SITE NO. 126, SECTOR 69, SAS NAGAR (MOHALI)

ADV. No. 07 Dated 23.01.2026

ADVERTISEMENT FOR 08 POSTS OF MEMBERS, PERMANENT LOK ADALATS FOR PUBLIC
UTILITY SERVICES IN THE STATE OF PUNJAB

The applications are invited from the suitable candidates for appointment to the 08 posts of Members, Permanent Lok Adalats for Public Utility Services in the State of Punjab under the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987.

The number of the posts can be increased or decreased for any reason whatsoever such as resignation or relieving etc. of Members as per the requirement of the State Authority.

Eligibility Criteria: A person who is having adequate experience in any of Public Utility Services, as defined in Section 22B of the Legal Services Authority Act, 1987

The relevant portion is reproduced as under:

- 22B.** (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in section 19, the Central Authority or, as the case may be, every State Authority shall, by notification, establish Permanent Lok Adalats at such places and for exercising such jurisdiction in respect of one or more public utility services and for such areas as may be specified in the notification.
- (2) Every Permanent Lok Adalat established for an area notified under sub-section (1) shall consist of –
- a person who is, or has been, a district judge or additional district judge or has held judicial office higher in rank than that of a district judge, shall be the Chairman of the Permanent Lok Adalat; and
 - two other persons having adequate experience in public utility service to be nominated by the Central Government or, as the case may be, the State Government on the recommendation of the Central Authority or, as the case may be, the State Authority, appointed by the Central Authority or, as the case may be, the State Authority, establishing such Permanent Lok Adalat and the other terms and conditions of the appointment of the Chairman and other persons referred to in clause (b) shall be such as may be prescribed by the Central Government.

Tenure: The appointment shall be initially for a period of one year which can further be extended upto 5 years or 65 years of age, whichever is earlier.

Age: Below 65 years (Maximum age till the person can hold office is 65 years)

Disqualifications:- A persons shall be disqualified for appointment as a Member, if he

- has been convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for an offence which involves moral turpitude; or
- has been adjudged as an insolvent; or
- is of unsound mind and stands so declared by a competent court; or
- has been removed or dismissed from service of the State Government or Central Government or a Body Corporate owned or controlled by such Government; or
- has, in the opinion of the State Government, such financial or other interest as is likely to prejudicially affect his functions as Member.



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Sitting Fee: He/she shall be entitled to sitting fee of Rs. 2000/- per sitting.

Conveyance Allowance: As per Rules.

Place of Posting: The selected candidate can be appointed anywhere in the State of Punjab. Also, he/she can be transferred from one place to another during tenure. He/she may also be given additional charge of another station during the tenure.

Last Date: **09.03.2026**

- Note:**
1. The candidates are required to apply in the enclosed Proforma. Affix one photograph on the proforma and send two passport size photographs along with the proforma.
 2. Candidates are required to bring their testimonial in original at the time of document verification. No further time will be given for producing the same.
 3. No T.A. will be given.
 4. Before appointment, the candidates shall have to give an undertaking that he/she does not and will not have any such financial or other interest as is likely to affect prejudicially his/her functions as such Member.
 5. Applications can be submitted personally or through registered post. Applications(s) received after the last date shall not be entertained under any circumstances. Department shall not be responsible for any delay occurred due to Postal/Courier services or otherwise.
 6. The serving officials who are interested to apply, shall send their applications through their respective department.
 7. All announcements/declarations regarding the recruitment process will be uploaded on the Official Website of Punjab State Legal Services Authority **www.pulsa.punjab.gov.in**, from time to time. Candidates are strictly advised to keep on visiting the said website regularly. The Department shall not be responsible for any kind of failure on the part of the candidate for not visiting the official website from time to time.
 8. It would be mandatory for the selected candidates to join the assignment within 15 days from date of issuance of the appointment letter failing which the appointment shall stand cancelled automatically.
 9. No communication regarding the selection process will be entertained by the State Authority.

Sd/-
Member Secretary



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APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF MEMBER

1.	Name	:	
2.	Father's/Husband Name/Mother's Name	:	
3.	Date of Birth (as per Matriculation Certificate)	:	
4.	Age as on Date of application	:	
5.	Permanent Address and Home District	:	
6.	Correspondence Address	:	
7.	Mobile No. and E-mail Id	:	
8.	Present Occupation and Annual Income	:	
9.	Nationality	:	
10.	Qualification	:	
11.	Experience in Public Utility Services	:	



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12	Other Experience, if any	
13.	Any other accomplishment (s), the candidate may like to inform	
14	Whether any Criminal case has been registered against the applicant? If yes, the details thereof	:
15	Whether the applicant has ever been charge-sheeted for any criminal offence or in any departmental proceedings? If yes, the details thereof	:
16	Whether the applicant has been convicted by any competent court for any criminal offence? If yes, the details thereof	
17	Does the applicant have more than one living spouse?	
18	Does the applicant attract any of the disqualification listed in the vacancy circular?	

Place:

Signature of the Candidate

Date:

I undertake that I have not concealed any material information. I further undertake that in case at any stage, I have been found guilty of concealing any material information, my candidature/ subsequent appointment be cancelled with immediate effect.

Signature of the Candidate