PRADEEP KUMAR MANI (H.J.S.) Member-Secretary



UTTARAKHAND STATE LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY A.D.R. Building, High Court Campus, Nainital-263001

Τо,

All the District Judges/Chairpersons, District Legal Services Authorities, State of Uttarakhand.

1505 /SLSA/2025, No.

Dated:]] July, 2025

Subject: Regarding enhancement of limit of expenditure incurred for organizing a Lok Adalat.

Sir,

Apropos to the subject noted above, kindly take reference of this Authority's earlier letter no. 95/SLSA/2013, dated 06th May, 2013 (**Copy enclosed**), whereby, Hon'ble the then Chief Justice/Patron-in-Chief, Uttarakhand SLSA was pleased to revise the amount fixed for organizing Lok Adalat from Rs. 10,000/- to Rs. 15,000/- per Lok Adalat with proper justification as per Rule-17.5 of the Uttarakhand State Legal Services Authority Rules, 2006.

In the above context and in light of prevailing inflation and rising operational costs, it has been noted that effective conduct of Lok Adalats involves not only logistical and administrative arrangements but also significant efforts in publicity to ensure maximum participation and outreach.

Accordingly, the said matter regarding enhancement of limit of expenditure incurred for organizing a Lok Adalat was placed before the 23rd General Meeting of Uttarakhand SLSA, Nainital held on 26th June, 2025, wherein, the following resolution has been passed:-

"It is resolved that the expenditure for organizing a monthly/regular Lok Adalat shall be limited to a maximum of ₹50,000/-, covering activities such as issuance of public notices, display of banners, distribution of pamphlets for awareness purposes, and provision of refreshments. The expenditure shall be incurred subject to adherence to austerity measures and shall be borne from the NALSA fund."

You are, therefore, informed accordingly and kindly requested to ensure the compliance of the aforesaid resolution.

Regards.

Yours sincerely, 1-11.07.25

(Pradeep Kumar Mani)

Encl: As above.

KANWAR AMNINDER SINGH H.J.S.



MEMBER SECRETARY

To,

All the District Judges/Chairpersons, District Legal Services Authorities, Uttarakhand.

No. 95 /SLSA/2013, Dated: 6 May, 2013

Subject: Regarding expenditure incurred for organizing a Lok Adalat.

Sir,

With regard to the aforesaid subject, it is to inform you that Rs. 10,000/- is fixed for organizing a Lok Adalat in the State of Uttarakhand.

In this regard, I have been directed to inform you that Hon'ble the Chief Justice/Patron-In-Chief, Uttarakhand State Legal Services Authority has been pleased to revise the amount fixed for organizing Lok Adalat from present Rs. 10,000/- to Rs. 15,000/- per Lok Adalat with proper justification as per Rule-17.5 of the Uttarakhand State Legal Services Authority Rules, 2006.

It has been further directed that if the expenditure incurred for organizing a Lok Adalat is beyond the limit of Rs. 10,000/, the said information alongwith proper justification be intimated to the State Authority.

You are, therefore, informed accordingly.

Regards Yours sincerely, WWE2 06.05.13. (Kanwar Amninder Singh)