

(To be published in the Delhi Gazette Part IV Extra- ordinary)
GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
(DEPARTMENT OF LAW, JUSTICE & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS)
8TH LEVEL, C-WING, DELHI SECRETARIAT, I.P. ESTATE, NEW DELHI – 110002.

No.F. 27/3/2003-Judl./345-349

Dated the 24th March, 2010

NOTIFICATION

No. F. 27/3/2003-Judl./ - In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 read with clause (i) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987, the Lt. Governor of the National Capital Territory of Delhi, in consultation with the Chief Justice of the High Court of Delhi, hereby makes the following rules to further amend the Delhi Legal Services Authorities Rules, 1996, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement. – (1) These rules may be called the Delhi Legal Services Authorities (Amendment) Rules, 2010.
2. They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Delhi Gazette.
3. **Substitution of new rule for rule 3.** - In the Delhi Legal Services Authorities Rules, 1996 (hereinafter referred to as the "principal Rules"), for rule 3, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

3. The number, experience and qualifications of other members of the State Authority under cl(c) of sub-section (2) of section 6.-
(1) The State Authority shall, including Patron-in-Chief, and the Executive Chairman but excluding the co-opted members have not more than 21 members.

(2) The following shall be the ex-officio members of the State Authority:-

- (i) the Secretary in the Department of Finance to the Government;
- (ii) the Secretary in the Department of Law, Justice and Legislative Affairs to the Government;
- (iii) the Commissioner of Police, Delhi;
- (iv) the Secretary in the Department of Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes to the Government;
- (v) the Secretary in the Department of Social Welfare to the Government;
- (vi) the District Judge-I and Sessions Judge, Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi;
- (vii) the District Judge-II and Sessions Judge, Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi;
- (viii) the District Judge-III and Sessions Judge, Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi;
- (ix) the District Judge-IV and Sessions Judge, Patiala House Courts, Delhi;
- (x) the District Judge-V and Sessions Judge, Patiala House Courts, Delhi;
- (xi) the District Judge-VI and Sessions Judge, Karkardooma Courts, Delhi;
- (xii) the District Judge-VII and Sessions Judge, Karkardooma Courts, Delhi;
- (xiii) the District Judge-VIII and Sessions Judge, Rohini Courts, Delhi;
- (xiv) the District Judge-IX and Sessions Judge, Dwarka Courts, Delhi;

- (3) The Government may nominate, in consultation with the Chief Justice of the High Court of Delhi, other members, one of whom shall be a woman, from amongst those possessing the experience and qualifications prescribed in sub-rule (4) of this rule.
 - (4) A person shall not be qualified for nomination as a member of the State Authority unless he/she is:-
 - (a) a graduate and an eminent social worker who is engaged in the upliftment of the weaker sections of the people, including Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Women, Backward Classes, Children, Rural and Urban Labour; or
 - (b) an eminent advocate having interest in free legal services; or
 - (c) an eminent person in the medical profession; or
 - (d) a person of repute who is specially interested in the implementation of the Legal Services Schemes.
 - (5) The Executive Chairman shall have the power to co-opt members for effective functioning of the State Authority."
4. **Amendment of rule 13.** - In the principal Rules, in rule 13, for the words "fifty thousand", the words "one lakh" shall be substituted.

By order and in the name of the
Lt. Governor of the National
Capital Territory of Delhi,

(SAVITA RAO)
JOINT SECRETARY (LAW)

No.F. 27/3/2003-Judl./ 345-349

Dated the 29th March, 2010

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Joint Secretary (GAD/Coord.), Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Delhi Secretariat, New Delhi for publication in the Delhi Gazette (Ordinary Part-IV), in duplicate together with its Hindi version with the request that five copies of the Gazette, as soon as published, may please be sent to this department for official use.
2. The Registrar General, High Court of Delhi, New Delhi.
3. The District Judge-I & Sessions Judge, Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi.
4. Member Secretary, DLSA, New Delhi.
- ✓ 5. Guard file.

S Rao
(SAVITA RAO)
JOINT SECRETARY (LAW)