

Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority, Amaravati

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NOTICE INVITING APPLICATIONS FOR ENGAGEMENT AS FULL TIME LEGAL AID LAWYERS IN LEGAL AID DEFENSE COUNSEL OFFICE IN PRAKASAM DISTRICT OF THE STATE UNDER SLSA

The State Legal Services Authority, established under the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 with mandate to provide free and competent legal services to the underprivileged and disadvantaged sections of the society to ensure that opportunities for securing justice are not denied to any citizen by reason of economic or other disabilities and to secure that the operation of the legal system promotes justice on a basis of equal opportunity to all.

Realizing the need to ponder over the reforms required in the Legal Aid Movement of India a new model of Legal Services Delivery, the 'Legal Aid Defense Counsel System' (LADCS), in line with public defender system, is introduced by NALSA. As envisaged, LADCS involve full time engagement of lawyers with support system, dealing exclusively with legal aid work in criminal matters at every stage starting from the pre-arrest, arrest & remand stage to the conclusion of trials and appeals etc. It will enhance the availability and accessibility of Legal Aid in a timely manner and help in creating a mechanism to provide qualitative and competent legal services in a professional manner to underprivileged and disadvantaged section of the society.

Each Legal Aid Defense Counsel Office may have 01 Chief Legal Aid Counsel,01 Deputy Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel, (number of positions depending upon legal aid work in the district). This system will have the effect of enhancing the responsiveness of the Legal Aid Mechanism in country and will ensure accountability on the part of the Legal Aid providers.

The Legal Aid Defense Counsel System will also provide a unique opportunity for Law Students to learn from the best. The Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel will be given the liberty to engage law students as interns, to give them exposure to practical aspects of criminal law including preparation of defense strategy and doing legal research in various factual scenarios.



SLSA under the aegis of NALSA (www.nalsa.gov.in) is in process of implementation of LADCS in the 03 Districts namely *Prakasam*, *Srikakulam* and *Vizianagaram*.

Applications are invited from eligible lawyers having requisite qualifications for Contractual full time engagement for the post of **Deputy Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel**, as per scheme in **PRAKASAM DISTRICT** proposed herein. The number of engagement positions may vary from district to district, depending upon actual need as projected by the DLSA concerned. The Lawyers so engaged therein will not be allowed to take any other private cases or any other retainership.

The Scheme of engagement along with application form may be downloaded from the official website of SLSA (http://apslsa.ap.nic.in) and also from Notice board of DLSA concerned. The duly filled application form along with self-attested copies of documents may be submitted to Chairperson, DLSA, Prakasam at Onogle wherein the candidatedesires to apply through speed post or in an envelope personally in the office of the Secretary, DLSA on or before Q4.08.2023 by 17.00 Hrs. Any application received after due date shall not be considered.

Note: Applying for engagement does not create any right/ assurance whatsoever.

Chairperson-cum-Prl. District Judge, DLSA, Ongole.

Note: The applicants to submit their applications to the Chairperson, DLSA, Prakasam at Ongole on or before the last date.

To:
All the Judicial Officers in Prakasam District.
All the Presidents, Bar Associations in Prakasam District.
Notice Board of DLSA, Ongole.
Print & Electronic Media.

APPLICATION FOR ENGAGEMENT AS FULL TIME LEGAL AID LAWYER IN LEGAL AID DEFENSE COUNSEL SYSTEM

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STATE		
DISTRICT		7
Application No. (For Office use)		
APPLICATION FOR	DEPUTY CHIEF LEGAL AID D	Photo PEFENSE COUNSEL
 Applicant's Name Father/Husband's Name Date of Birth Age (as on 01-08-2022) Gender 	; ; ;	
6. Residential Address		
7. Office Address	#. (4) (4) (1)	
8. Chamber Address (if any)	;	

- 9. Telephone no. (O)
- 10. Telephone No. (R)
- 11. Mobile No.
- 12. Fax No.
- 13. E-mail ID
- 14. PAN No.
- 15. AADHAR No.
- 16. Educational Qualification (Please enclose self-attested copies of documents):

Course	Name of Board/ University	Year of Passing	Obtained Percentage
Graduation			(aggregate)
Professional Degree LLB		The state of the s	
LLM			
Any other (if any)	,		

- 17. Date of Enrollment as Lawyer:
- 18. Enrollment No.

(Attach self-attested copy of enrollment certificate issued by Bar Council)

19. Experience in Bar

(Duration of actual practice)

(Attach an experience certificate issued by the Bar Association/Council)

- (a) Total no. of cases handled:
- (b) Nature of cases handled :(Attach extra sheet, if required)
- (c) Specialization, if any (The details of a few important

cases, the Applicants have dealt with/handled and reported judgement if any.)

- 20. Whether empanelled as Central/State Government or Government undertaking counsel/pleader (Indicate period & attach documents)
- 21. The Courts where the Applicant is regularly practising (Enclose Bar Association Membership Certificate)
- 22. Specify whether earlier remained on the panel of HCLSC/DLSA or TLSC (Indicate period, number of legal aid cases handled & result) (attach documents)
- 23. Whether any disciplinary case/Complaint is/was against the Applicant with any Bar Council: YES (If yes, specify details of both disposed & pending with documents)

NO

- 24. List of the documents to be attached.
 - 1. Self-Attested copy of Certificates in support of educational qualifications.
 - 2. Self-Attested copy of Certificate in Enrollment issued by the Bar Council under the Advocates Act, 1961.
 - 3. Self-Attested copy of Photo Identity Card, Address Proof.
 - 4. Self-Attested copy of ITR for last 3 years (if available).
 - 5. Photo copies of judgments in 5 Sessions cases, represented as Defense lawyer, (for the post of Chief/Deputy Legal Aid Defense Counsel).
 - 6. Photocopies of at least 5 cross examinations in Sessions cases (for Chief/Deputy Legal Aid Defense Counsel).

(Signature)

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all the statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of any information being found false/incorrect at any stage, my candidature is liable to be cancelled. I have read and understood the instructions and terms of the engagement and agrees to abide by those. I declare that I fulfil the eligibility conditions for the category to which I am seeking engagement. I declare that I have never been penalised by any Bar Council in any Disciplinary Proceedings. I also undertake to maintain absolute integrity and discipline as required there-under. I agree with the remuneration structure and all the terms and conditions notified by SLSA/DLSA concerned.

				(Signature)
Place:_				
Date:				