

**OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE (SOUTH-WEST)
DISTRICT COURTS DWARKA, NEW DELHI.**

CIRCULAR

In terms of the recommendations of the Hon'ble BMCC (Dwarka Courts Complex), made in its meeting dated 24-03-2022, Rule 5 of the *District Courts, Dwarka, Lawyers' Chambers (Allotment & Occupancy) Rules, 2009* stands amended, and the same shall now be read as under:

"Rule 5

(1) *Notwithstanding anything contained in Rule 4, the Principal District & Sessions Judge (South-West), Dwarka Courts, in consultation with the Allotment Committee, may make out of turn allotment to advocates who are retired Judicial Officers from Delhi & Advocates who are differently-abled, provided they are otherwise eligible.*

(2) *For the advocates, who retired as Judicial Officers from Delhi, 5 chamber slots shall be reserved.*

(3)(i) *Five percent (5%) of total chambers shall be reserved and kept at the disposal of the Chairman of the Chamber Allotment committee for allotment to physically handicapped/ differently-abled Advocates, with benchmark disabilities as defined in Section 34 of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 on twin sharing basis with priority to female Advocates, who are otherwise eligible as per these Rules.*

(ii) *The applications should be supported by disability certificates of Medical Board constituted by Centre/State Government and the minimum degree of disability should be 40% for being eligible for consideration.*

(iii) *After allotment of chambers to the physically handicapped Advocates, in case any chamber remains vacant and no application of a physically handicapped advocate for allotment of chamber is pending, the vacant chamber/slot shall be allotted to a general category advocate and as and when any new application from a physically handicapped advocate is received, he/she will be allotted the next available vacant chamber slot subject to fulfillment of conditions specified in these Rules.*

Explanation:

One chamber (i.e. two slots) in addition to the earlier reserved 5 slots has been reserved in the existing chamber block of Dwarka Courts, as on 14-07-2022, for allotment to persons with benchmark disabilities. Appropriate adjustment shall be made in the proposed new chamber block for reserving five percent chambers for persons with benchmark disability."

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Principal District & Sessions Judge (S-W)
District Courts, Dwarka, New Delhi.

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