# TALUKA LEGAL SERVICES COMMITTEE, HUBBALLI NOTIFICATION

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In exercise of the powers conferred under Sec. 4(1)(b) of the Right to information Act, 2005 (Central Act No.22 of 2005), the detailed information relating to the Taluka Legal Services Committee, Hubballi is published as herein under for the information of the General Public.

| i) | The particulars of its organization, functions and duties. | Organization : Taluka Legal Services<br>Committee, Hubballi.   |
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|    |  | Functions and duties:  1. To create legal awareness among the members of the general public.   |
|    |  | <b>2.</b> To offer free legal aid and advice for eligible persons. Who are eligible as per Sec 12 of the Legal Services Authority Act 1987.                      |
|    |  | <b>3.</b> To provide free, speedy and qualitative justice to the needy and affected persons through Lok Adalats.   |
|    |  | <b>4.</b> Establishment of Taluka Legal Services Committee, Hubballi and it is functioning as under;   |
|    |  | <ol> <li>Helpline no. 1800-425-90900</li> <li>Dedicated Landline telephone -0836-<br/>2740128</li> <li>Dedicated email ID<br/>tlschubballi@gmail.com.</li> </ol> |
|    |  | 4. Video Conferencing facility with Panel Advocates, Litigants and Prisons in Dharwad.   |
|    |  | 5. Dedicated Mobile Number:  |
|    |  | 6. Internet facility for linking with the websites of supreme Court, NALSA, Karnataka State Legal Services   |

|      |  | Authority, High Court of Karnataka and other Courts / Tribunals and availing information from the website of Karnataka State Legal Services Authority.  7. Services of Panel Advocates to provide legal aid and advice.  8. Services of Para Legal Volunteers to assist the District Legal Services Authority, Dharwad and the Panel Lawyers and to help the litigants in filling up forms for legal aid etc., |
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|      |  | 9. Providing information about the activities of DLSA and TLSCs.   |
|      |  | 10. Assisting the litigants to know about the status of their case, pending in or disposed of by different Courts and educating the litigants about their right of appeal through Front Office, situated in the Hubballi,  Information regarding the DLSA and TLSCs has been web-hosted.   |
| ii)  | Powers and duties of its Officers and employees  | Details are at Annexure –I.  |
| iii) | The procedure followed in the decision making process, including channels of supervision and accountability. | i) The Legal Aid seekers will first approach the retainer lawyers deputed to the Front Office and Discuss with them about their problem.  ii) The retainer lawyer will go through the documents shown to him/ her by the Legal Aid Seekers and thereafter renders suitable advice about the probable future course of action.  iii) The Legal Aid Seeker accompanied by the                                    |
|      |  | retainer Lawyer/s of Front Office would<br>personally meet the Member Secretary and  |

|       |   | discuses about his / her problem. The retainer lawyer/s shall submit the proposal and place it before the Member Secretary.  |
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|       |   | iv)The Member Secretary will review the proposal in the light of the existing Law/Rules and decide about the future course of action to be taken on the proposal under the delegated powers and if necessary, will submit the file to the Hon'ble Chairman for Final orders. |
| iv)   | The norms set by it for the                                 | Depending on urgency, proposal will be   |
|       | discharge of its functions.                                 | finalized on priority.   |
| v)    | The rules, regulations,                                     | Details are as at Annexure-II.   |
|       | instructions, manuals and records                           |  |
|       | held by it or under its control or                          |  |
|       | used by the employees for                                   |  |
|       | discharging its functions.                                  |  |
| vi)   |   | Case files and relevant Registers.   |
|       | documents that are held by its or                           |  |
| •••   | under its control.  |  |
| vii)  | The particulars of any arrangements that exists for         | Member Secretary will give information.  |
|       | arrangements that exists for consultation with or           |  |
|       | representation by the members of                            |  |
|       | the public in relation to the                               |  |
|       | formulation of its policy or                                |  |
|       | implementation thereof.                                     |  |
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| viii) | A statement of the boards                                   | The meeting of the District Authority are not  |
|       | councils, committees and other                              | open to the public.  |
|       | bodies consisting of two or more                            |  |
|       | persons constituted as its part or                          | The minutes are also not open to the public.   |
|       | for the purpose of its advice and                           |  |
|       | as to whether meeting of those                              |  |
|       | boards, council, committees and                             |  |
|       | other bodies are open to the public                         |  |
|       | or the minutes of such meetings                             |  |
| izzl  | are accessible for public.  A Directory of the officers and | Directory of Member Secretary and  |
| ix)   | employees.  | Directory of Member Secretary and employees are maintained the office of   |
|       | empioyees.  | Karnataka State Legal Services Authority.  |
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|       |                                      | In view of the frequent changes of               |
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|       |                                      | residential address of employees, the            |
|       |                                      | authority establishment be requested to          |
|       |                                      | note the changes.                                |
| 1     | The monthly remuneration             |  |
| x)    | 5                                    | As per the scale of pay of their post as         |
|       | received by each of the officers     | mentioned in Schedule I of Karnataka State       |
|       | and employees, including the         | Legal Services Authorities Rules.                |
|       | system of compensation provided      |  |
|       | in its regulations.                  |  |
| xi)   | The budget allotted to each of its   | Allotment of the budget to the Authority is      |
|       | agency indicating the particulars    | under plan and non-plan scheme of the            |
|       | of all plans, proposed               | Government of Karnataka.                         |
|       | expenditures and reports on          |  |
|       | disbursements made.                  |  |
| xii)  | The manner of execution of           | As per the Scheme of the Act and Rules           |
|       | subsidy programmes, including        | framed there under.                              |
|       | the amounts allocated and the        |  |
|       | details allocated and the details of |  |
|       | beneficiaries of such programmes.    |  |
| xiii) | Particulars of recipients of         | No such programmes.                              |
|       | concessions, permits or              |  |
|       | authorizations granted by it.        |  |
| xiv)  | Details in respect of the            | Available in the website                         |
| ,     | information, available to or held    | www.kslsa.kar.nic.in.                            |
|       | by it, reduced in electronic form.   | WWW.IIOISCHILLE IIIOIIII                         |
| xv)   | The particulars of facilities        | The citizen may approach the officer of the      |
| ,     | available to citizens for obtaining  | authority during working hours and               |
|       | information including the working    | working hours are as specified by the State      |
|       | hours of library or reading room if  | Government. Between 10.00 a.m. and 06-           |
|       | maintained for public use.           | 00 p.m. on all working days.                     |
| xvi)  | The names, designations and          | Shri. Rajshekhar Tilganji                        |
|       | other particulars of the Public      | Member Secretary,                                |
|       | Information Officer.                 | Taluka Legal services Committe,                  |
|       | information officer.                 | Hubballi   |
|       |                                      | Hubballi   |
| xvii) | (a) Appellate Authority under sec.   | (a) Member Secretary, Karnataka State            |
|       | 19(1) of Right to Information Act.   | Legal Services Authority.                        |
|       |                                      | Tel No. 080-22111714.                            |
|       | (b) Member Secretary of District     | (h) At the District level 11.1 District 1        |
|       | Legal Services Authority u/s 5(2)    | (b) At the District level all the District Legal |
|       | of Right to Information Act.         | Services Authorities of the State of             |
|       |                                      | Karnataka – as State Assistant Information       |
|       | (c) Member Secretary of Taluka       | Officers.  |
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|        | Legal Services Committee u/s 5(2)           | (c) At all Taluka Levels all the Taluka Legal        |
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|        | of Right to information Act.                | Services Committees of the State of                  |
|        |   | Karnataka – as State Assistant Information Officers. |
| xviii) | Such other information as may be prescribed | -NIL-  |

Individual files cannot be uploaded since they are concerned with the personal matters of the litigants.

By the order of the Hon'ble Chairman,

Sd/-Member Secretary & Public Information Officer, Taluka Legal Services Committe, Hubballi.

## ANNEXURE-I

## THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE TALUKA LEGAL SERVICES COMMITTEE, HUBBALLI.

| Peons / Dalayath | To keep the office neat and tidy and to deliver the letters |
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|                  | / Memos etc., to the Courts and other departments and       |
|                  | such other works as entrusted by the Member Secretary,      |
| Admin. Assistant | In charge of the work of diarizing, organizing Legal        |
|                  | Literacy Programmes by co-ordinating with the various       |
|                  | Government Departments. Organizing meetings, co-            |
|                  | ordinating with Typist cum Clerks of TLSCs, maintaining     |
|                  | accounts of DLSA, Mediation Centre and such other           |
|                  | works as entrusted by the Member Secretary.                 |
| Member Secretary | Head of the organization - Acts in her/ his capacity as     |
|                  | Head of the department upon the directions / advice of      |
|                  | the Hon'ble Chairman of District Legal Services Authority   |
|                  | and the Hon'ble Member Secretary, KSLSA.                    |

#### **ANNEXURE-II**

(v) The rules, regulation, instructions, manuals and records held by it or under its control or used by its employees for discharging its functions:

#### (a) Acts:

- **1.** The Legal Services Authorities Act 1987 (No. 39 of 1987) (As amended by the Legal Services Authorities (Amendment) Act. 2002)
- 2. The Karnataka State Legal Services Authorities Rules 1996.
- 3. The Karnataka State Legal Services Authority Regulations 1997.

#### (b) Rules:

Conditions of service of the employees of the State Authority, High Court Legal Services Committee or District Legal Services Authority or Taluka Legal Service Committee: -

### (1) The Provisions of:

- a) The Karnataka Civil Services Rules,
- **b)** The Karnataka Financial Code, 1958
- c) The Karnataka Civil Services (Classifications Control and Appeal) rules, 1957.
- d) The Karnataka Civil Services (General Recruitment) Rules, 1977.
- e) The Karnataka Civil Services (Conduct) rules, 1966.
- f) The Karnataka Civil Services (Probation) Rules, 1957.
- g) The Karnataka Government Servants (Seniority) rules, 1957.
- h) The Karnataka Government Servants (Medical Attendance) Rules, 1963.
- i) The Karnataka Civil Services (Performance Report) Rules, 1994.
- j) Rules made or deemed to have been made under the Provision of the Karnataka Civil Services Act,1978, (Karnataka Act 1 or 1990),
- k) The Karnataka Civil Service (Kannada Language Examinations) Rules, 1974 and
- All other rules relating to conditions of services applicable to Government servants, shall mutatis mutandis apply to the employees of the State Authority, High Court Legal Services Committee or District Authority or Taluk Legal services Committee and the Departmental Examinations required to be passed by the employees specified in column (2) of schedule –II shall be those specified in the corresponding entries in column (3) of the said schedule.

### (c) Instructions, Manuals and others.

- **1.** The manual of Contingent Expenditure.
- 2. The Departmental Promotion Committees.
- **3**. The Criminal Procedure Code.
- **4**. The Civil Procedure Code.
- **5.** Reservation for Ex-Servicemen.
- **6**. Reservation roaster for scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and other Backward Classes.

## A Statement of the categories of documents that are held by it or under its control: