

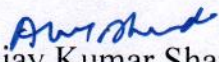
HARYANA GOVERNMENT

**OFFICE OF DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE-CUM-CHAIRPERSON DISTRICT LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY,
DISTRICT COURTS, SECTOR-12, KARNAL**

Applications are invited for the post as mentioned below for the office of Legal Aid Defense Counsel System in District Courts, Karnal.

Sr. No.	Name of Post	Nos.
1	Deputy Legal Aid Defense Counsel	01

Application form/proforma can be downloaded from official website of District Courts, Karnal i.e. (<https://karnal.dcourts.gov.in/>). Application form duly filled alongwith requisite documents shall reach the office of the undersigned latest by 22.09.2025 before 5:00 PM.

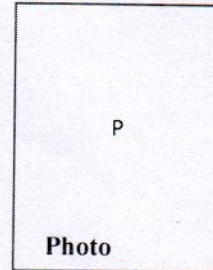

(Ajay Kumar Sharda)
District & Sessions Judge-cum-Chairman
District Legal Services Authority
Karnal

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

STATE _____

DISTRICT _____

Application No. _____
(For Office use)



APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF: DEPUTY LEGAL AID DEFENSE COUNSEL

1. Applicant's Name :
2. Father/Husband's Name :
3. Date of Birth :
4. Age (as on 01-08-2025) :
5. Gender :
6. Residential Address :

7. Office Address :

8. Chamber Address (if any) :

9. Telephone no. (O) :

10. Telephone No. (R) :

11. Mobile No. :

Fax No. :

12. E-mail ID :

13. PAN No. :

14. AADHAR No. :

15. Educational Qualification (Please enclose self-attested copies of documents):

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

16. Date of Enrollment as Lawyer:

17. Enrollment No. :

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

18. 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

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 NO
(If yes, specify details of both disposed & pending with documents)
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 thereunder. I agree with the remuneration structure and all the terms and conditions notified by SLSA/DLSA concerned.

(Signature)

Place: _____

Date: _____

Sr. No. 2

Deputy Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel

Qualification:

1. Practice in Criminal law for at least 7 years
2. Excellent understanding of criminal law,
3. Excellent oral and written communication skills
4. Skill in legal research,
5. Thorough understanding of ethical duties of defence counsel,
6. Ability to work effectively and efficiently with others,
7. *Must have handled at least 15 criminal trials in Sessions Courts
8. IT Knowledge with proficiency in work.

**Reasonable relaxations in qualifications qua handling of criminal trials shall all be approved in appropriate cases (appropriate candidates) by the Hon'ble Executive Chairperson, HALSA in addition to already approved relaxations i.e. 1 criminal trials in Sessions Courts for Deputy Legal Aid Defence Counsels*

Work Profile

- Conducting trials/appeals/Remand work/Bail applications/visits to prisons etc., as assigned by Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel.
- Filing and arguing appeals and bail applications in Courts.
- Maintaining complete case files.
- Doing legal research in legal aided cases and guiding assistant legal Aid Defense Counsel and law students attached with the office in legal research.
- Proper client interviews at various stages for quality research work and representation at remand, trial and appellate stage.
- All or any of the work of the Chief defence Counsel as per assignment,
- Any work/duty assigned by Legal Services Authority.

Honorarium of LADCS staff as per category

Honorarium payable

Human Resources	Class-A	Class-B	Class-C
Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel	90,000	80,000	70,000
Deputy Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel	70,000	60,000	50,000
Assistant Legal Aid Defense Counsel	45,000	35,000	30,000

Segregation of Districts as per NALSA guidelines is as under:

Class-A Towns	Faridabad (1)
Class-B Towns	Ambala, Bhiwani, Kurukshetra,, Kaithal, Karnal, Sonapat, Jind, Sirsa, Hissar, Rohtak, Jhajjar, Palwal, Yamuna Nagar, Rewari (14)
Class-C Towns	Narnaul, Mewat, Fatehabad (3)