



## DISTRICT LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY, NAGPUR

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE / INVITATION FOR APPLICATIONS**

**Ref'nce : Maharashtra State Legal Services Authority, Mumbai Letter No 617/2026 Dt. 13<sup>th</sup> February, 2026.**

For Empanelment of Advocates as Panel Lawyers for District Legal Services Authority, (DLSA) Nagpur and Taluka Legal Services Committees (All Taluka) (TLSC) of Nagpur

Applications are hereby invited from eligible Advocates for empanelment as Panel Lawyers for the District Legal Services Authority (DLSA), Nagpur and Taluka Legal Services Committees (All Taluka) (TLSC) of Nagpur to provide legal aid and assistance to eligible beneficiaries under the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 and the relevant Regulations.

#### **1. Eligibility Criteria:**

- A) The applicant must be duly enrolled with the Bar Council.
- B) The applicant must have a minimum of three years experience at the Bar.
- C) The applicant should possess sound knowledge and experience in handling cases before District and Taluka Courts.
- D) The applicant must have good professional standing, integrity, and competence.
- E) Preference may be given to advocates having experience in specific fields such as **Criminal Law, Civil Law, Family/Matrimonial matters, Labour Law, Juvenile Justice, POCSO, Motor Accident Claims, Domestic Violence cases, etc.**

#### **2. Documents to be Submitted:**

Applicants shall submit the following documents along with the application:

- A) Duly filled prescribed application form.
- B) Self-attested copy of Sanad/Enrollment Certificate.
- C) Certificate of practice/experience from Bar Association.
- D) Details of experience with special reference to types of cases handled.
- E) Aadhaar Card copy.
- F) Two recent passport-size photographs.
- G) Any other supporting documents (if applicable).

#### **3. Tenure and Honorarium:**

The panel shall ordinarily remain valid for a period of three years, subject to review as per rules.

Honorarium and fees shall be payable as per the Rules/Regulations framed by the National Legal Services Authority (NALSA) and Maharashtra State Legal Services Authority (MSLSA), as amended from time to time.

**4. Mode of Selection:**

- A) Applications received shall be scrutinized.
- B) Eligible candidates may be called for interaction/interview.
- C) Final selection shall be subject to approval by the Competent Authority.

**5. Last Date for Submission:**

Applications must reach the office of District Legal Services Authority, Nagpur **on or before 24/02/2026 during office hours by hand/Speed post/RPAD. in annexed form.**

Applications received after the due date shall not be considered.

The Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any application without assigning any reason thereof.



(Dinesh P. Surana)

**Principal District & Sessions Judge and  
Chairman, District Legal Services Authority, Nagpur.**

**DISTRICT LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY, NAGPUR**  
**(Under the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987)**

**APPLICATION FORM**

For Empanelment as Panel Lawyer :

1. Full Name (in Block Letters) :

2. Father's / Husband's Name :

3. Date of Birth :

4. Residential Address :

5. Office Address (if any) :

6. Mobile Number :

7. Email ID :

8. Enrollment Details :

9. Enrollment Number :

10. Date of Enrollment :

Name of Bar Council :

9. Total Experience at the Bar : \_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_ Months  
(Minimum three years' experience required)

10. Court(s) Where Regularly Practicing :

**11. Nature of Cases Ordinarily Handled (Tick ✓ as applicable):**

☐ Criminal      ☐ Civil      ☐ Family / Matrimonial      ☐ Labour Matters

☐ MACT      ☐ POCSO      ☐ Juvenile Justice      ☐ Domestic Violence

☐ Negotiable Instruments Act Cases      ☐ Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

12. Special Experience / Expertise (if any):

13. Whether previously empanelled with any Legal Services Authority?

☐ Yes      ☐ No If Yes, provide details:

14. Whether any disciplinary proceedings are pending before Bar Council or any Court?

☐ Yes      ☐ No (If Yes, provide details) :



15. Whether any Criminal Case is pending before any court?

☐ Yes    ☐ No (If Yes, provide details) :

**DOCUMENTS CHECKLIST (To be enclosed)**

- ☐ Self-attested copy of Enrollment Certificate
- ☐ Certificate of Practice / Experience from Bar Association
- ☐ Proof of Identity (Aadhaar Card)
- ☐ Two Passport Size Photographs
- ☐ Updated Bio-Data
- ☐ Any other supporting documents (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I undertake to abide by the provisions of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987, Rules and Regulations framed thereunder, and the directions issued by the District Legal Services Authority from time to time.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Applicant)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**

Application No. : \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Receipt : \_\_\_\_\_

Documents Verified : ☐ Yes / ☐ No

Eligible as per criteria : ☐ Yes / ☐ No

Remarks :

Recommended for Empanelment: ☐ Yes / ☐ No

Signature of Scrutiny Officer : \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Designation : \_\_\_\_\_

Date : \_\_\_\_\_