

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E) Telangana Hyderabad – 500 004

AG(A&E)/Legal Cell/TS/2019-20/

Dated: 07.02.2020

NOTIFICATION

This office intends to constitute a panel of Standing Counsels to defend cases filed against Indian Audit and Accounts Department before Hon'ble High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad, Central Administrative Tribunal at Hyderabad Bench and at other Courts of Telangana State. Presently, there are about 450 cases in various Courts/Tribunals. Therefore applications are invited from the interested advocates in the enclosed format along with order copies pertaining to cases handled during the last one year.

The **Terms & Conditions** for Empanelment of Standing Counsel for IA&AD offices is attached herewith. Selections will be made on the basis of number of cases dealt with, experience/standing, favorable judgments and accessibility/availability of the advocate and other parameters. The advocates having minimum 5 years of experience and those who defended the Government Departments namely Standing counsels, Government Pleaders, Assistant Government Pleaders and counsels of the similar genre need only apply.

The format of application may please be downloaded from this office website i.e. agaeapts.gov.in The scanned copies of the application along with judgments may be sent to agaetelangana@cag.gov.in

The last date for receipt of applications is 13.02.2020. The filled in applications may please be sent to the address mentioned below through email:

Deputy Accountant General (Admn), O/o the Accountant General (A&E), Telangana, Saifabad, Hyderabad-500004.

For any clarification, you may please contact Sri. Dr. M. Muralikrishna, Sr.A.O(Legal), on 9492044545 or via email at murali35.anp.ae@nic.in, Sri. R. Rohidahasu, AAO(Legal) on 9440553282 or via email at rohidahasu45.anp.ae@nic.in

Deputy Accountant General (Admn)

Application for appointment as Standing Counsels in Panel (For Indian Audit and Accounts Department)

For Hon'ble CAT, High Court and other Courts

1	Name of the Advocate	
2	Father's Name	
3	Date of Birth	
4	a) Office address:b) Email address:c) Contact number:	
5	Educational Qualifications	
6*	Date of enrollment as Advocate in Bar Council	
7*	Date of registration in Hon'ble CAT/High Court/other courts.	
8*	Period in which the applicant has represented the Government Departments, if any:	
9*	The Name of the client Department may be mentioned:	
10*	Number of cases relating to Service matters dealt in 2019 as an Advocate along with order copies/ Links to orders.	9
11*	Number of cases relating to Civil and Other matters dealt in 2019 as an Advocate along with order copies/Links to orders.	

Verification

I	D/o, S/o	do hereby declare
that what	ever has been stated in the above application	is true to the best of my knowledge and
belief.		
Dated:		Signature of the applicant
Place:		
	* Applicant to annex soft copy of the proof wit	h respect to aforesaid items/information.
	* 8*,9*, 10* & 11*: Strike off whichever is not	applicable.

ENCL: See also Annexure to application for appointment of Standing Counsels.

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Annexure I: Application for appointment of Standing Counsels

Sl. No.	Details	No.	Remarks
1.	Total no. of cases handled in 2019.		
2.	Number of appearances on behalf of clients (Department)		
3.	No. of cases where decisions/orders are received.		
4.	No. of cases where the Judges have concurred with the views of the advocate/candidate		

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Empanelment of standing counsels for IA&AD offices at various stations

Terms and conditions:

1. Eligibility:

- i) The person shall be enrolled/registered as an advocate.
- ii) The person shall be well conversant with Service Rules, CCS (CCA) Rules, Prevention of Corruption Act, RTI Act, IPC, Procedural codes etc.

2. Tenure of empanelment:

Initial empanelment shall be for one year. Performance of advocate shall be reviewed on half yearly basis. However on completion of tenure of two years and satisfactory report from the nodal office, the empanelment can be extended for a further period of two years.

3. General terms and conditions:

- i) Counsel shall receive the notice meant for the offices at the station and ensure no ex-parte order is passed.
- ii) The counsels shall ensure that the notice is supplied to the respective office on same day. The counsel shall prepare written statement, applications, reply, affidavits etc in respect of each case assigned to him/ her. The counsel shall also provide his legal opinion related to the case.
- iii) The counsel shall keep the respective office informed of all the developments and dates related to the case on the same date of its happening.
- iv) If any case is decided against the office, counsel shall provide his/ her considered opinion regarding advisability of filing appeal.
- v) The counsel shall not take up any case against the IA&AD offices before any Court in India.
- vi) The counsel shall have the right to do private practice which must not however interfere with the interests of any of the IA&AD offices.
- vii) Refusal by the counsel to accept any work without any reasonable cause (eg on grounds of conflict of interest) shall entail his/ her removal from panel.
- viii) Violation of any of the terms and conditions shall render the counsel for termination of his/ her empanelment.

4. Termination of empanelment/ Resignation:

Empanelment of counsel would be terminable on one month's notice in writing by either side. However, it would be binding upon the counsel to hand over all the case files and documents related to all the cases lying pending or finalized with him/her.

5. Payment of fees:

No retainership fees/ monthly salary shall be payable to the counsels. Fees for appearance and other fee/ expenses shall be payable to the Counsels as per the fee structure applicable to Central Government Standing Counsels as decided by Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law from time to time.

6. In the event of any doubt / difficulty with respect to the implementation/ interpretation of any clause of these terms and conditions, the decision of CAG shall be final.

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