



## **District Legal Services Authority Bilaspur, H.P.**

**No. DLSA/BLP/Clerk/LADCS/2024**

**Dated: 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2024**

### **NOTICE INVITING APPLICATIONS FOR ENGAGEMENT AS FULL TIME LEGAL AID LAWYERS IN LEGAL AID DEFENSE COUNSEL OFFICE at DLSA BILASPUR UNDER SLSA**

The State Legal Services Authority, established under the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 with mandate to provide free and competent legal services to the underprivileged and disadvantaged sections of the society to ensure that opportunities for securing justice are not denied to any citizen by reason of economic or other disabilities and to secure that the operation of the legal system promotes justice on a basis of equal opportunity to all. Please visit website District Court for full details.

Realising the need to ponder over the reforms required in the Legal Aid Movement of India a new model of Legal Services Delivery, the '**Legal Aid Defense Counsel System**' (LADCS), in line with public defender system, is introduced by NALSA. As envisaged, LADCS involve full time engagement of lawyers with support system, dealing exclusively with legal aid work in criminal matters at every stage starting from the pre-arrest, arrest & remand stage to the conclusion of trials and appeals etc. It will enhance the availability and accessibility of Legal Aid in a timely manner and help in creating a mechanism to provide qualitative and competent legal services in a professional manner to underprivileged and disadvantaged section of the society.

The Legal Aid Defense Counsel System will also provide a unique opportunity for Law Students to learn from the best. The Chief Legal Aid Defense Counsel will be given the liberty to engage law students as interns, to give them exposure to practical aspects of criminal law including preparation of defense strategy and doing legal research in various factual scenarios.

SLSA under the aegis of NALSA ([www.nalsa.gov.in](http://www.nalsa.gov.in)) is in process of implementation of LADCS at DLSA Bilaspur, H.P.

Applications are invited from eligible lawyers having requisite qualifications for Contractual full time engagement for the **01 post of Assistant Legal Aid Defense Counsel** as per scheme in this district proposed herein. The Lawyers so engaged therein will not be allowed to take any other private cases or any other retainership.

The Scheme of engagement along with application form may be downloaded from the **official website** of **District Court** and also from **Notice board** of



DLSA and Ld. all Courts. The duly filled application form along with self-attested copies of documents may be submitted to DLSA Bilaspur, wherein the candidate desires to apply through speed post or in an envelope personally in the office of the Secretary, DLSA, Bilaspur on or before **12<sup>th</sup> August, 2024 by 05:00PM**. Any application received after due date shall not be considered.

**Note: Applying for engagement does not create any right/ assurance whatsoever.**

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**Chairman,**

**District Legal Services Authority,  
Bilaspur, H.P.**

**2296 Dated Bilaspur, the 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2024**

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**Endst. No. as above.**

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1. The **Additional District & Sessions Judge, Ghumarwin;**
2. The **Senior Civil Judge-cum-CJM, Bilaspur, H.P.**
3. The **Senior Civil Judge-cum-ACJM, Ghumarwin, H.P.;**
4. The **Civil Judge-cum-JMFC, Jhandutta;**
5. The **Civil Judge-cum-JMFC, Bilaspur, H.P.**
6. The **Mobile Traffic Magistrate, Bilaspur and Hamirpur at Bilaspur,**
7. The **Civil Judge-cum-JMFC, Court No. 2 Ghumarwin;**
8. The **Civil Judge-cum-JMFC, Court No. 3 Ghumarwin;**
9. The **Chief Administrative Officer, Office of District and Sessions Judge, Bilaspur, H.P.**  
for information and necessary action with the request to affix the copy of the same in your notice board for wide publicity;
10. The **President, District/Sub Division, Bar Association, Bilaspur, Ghumarwin & Jhandutta** for information and necessary action with the request to circulate the same amongst the members of your respective Bar for information;
11. The **Assistant Programmer, office of the District and Sessions Judge, Bilaspur, H.P.** with the direction to upload the said advertisement notice in the website for wide publicity.
12. **Notice Board.**

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**Chairman,**

**District Legal Services Authority,  
Bilaspur, H.P.**