

अखिल भारतीय आयुर्वेद संस्थान

ALL INDIA INSTITUTE OF AYURVEDA (AIIA) (आयष मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के अंतर्गत स्वायत्त संस्थान)

(An Autonomous Organization under the Ministry of AYUSH, Govt. of India)

F. No.: Z-50/126/2021-AIIA Date: 11th June, 2021

Notice for Empanelment of Standing Counsel/Panel Counsel(s)

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Detailed eligibility criteria/fee schedule and other terms and conditions enclosed herewith and the same has been uploaded on AIIA website i.e. www.aiia.gov.in.

DIRECTOR

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1. Empanelment of Standing Counsel/Panel Counsel(s):

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The Counsels engaged by AIIA will fall into two categories viz:- (a) Standing Counsel (s) (b) Panel Counsel (s) Qualification for each category of Counsels will be as under:-

- **A. Standing Counsel**: In order to be eligible for appointment as Standing Counsel, a person should:
- i. Be enrolled/registered as an advocate with the Bar Council,
- ii. Have a minimum experience of fifteen years of handling Civil/Criminal/service matter cases. Preference will be given to the counsels who have dealt earlier with matters pertaining to academic/education/hospital institutions of Government of India.
- **B. Panel Counsel**: In order to be eligible for appointment as Panel Counsel, the person should:
- i. Be enrolled/registered as an advocate with the Bar Council,
- ii. Have a minimum, relevant experience of ten years of handling Civil/Criminal/service matter cases. Preference will be given to the counsels who have dealt earlier with matters pertaining to academic/hospital institutions of Government of India.

2. Duties of the Counsel:

The counsel shall perform the following duties:

- (i) Represent AllA before Supreme Court of India/ Delhi High Court /different High Courts and other judicial bodies;
- (ii) Provide legal advice to AIIA on civil, criminal, service and such other matters arising in the course of administration of the Institute as are referred to him/her including: (a) Examination and drafting of legal documents; (b) Drafting of applications, petitions etc., to be filed in various courts of law; (c) Prompt removal/curing of defects in appeals/petitions filed; as may be pointed out by the registry;
- (iii) Apply for the copy of judgment from the court in cases attended by him/her and supply the copy of judicial pronouncements at the earliest but not later than 10 days from the date of order (excluding the time taken by the court in preparation of the copy);
- (iv) If required, render all assistance to Special or Senior Counsel engaged in a particular case before the Supreme Court, High Courts and other judicial bodies;

- (v) Keep AIIA informed and updated on all important developments in the designated cases, dates of hearing, order of the court on the date of its pronouncement, supplying copy of judgment etc:
- (vi) Furnish monthly statement about the cases represented by him/her before the High Court or any other authority and their outcomes.
- (vii) Perform such other duties of legal nature which may be assigned to him/her by AIIA.
- (viii) When any case attended to by him/her is decided against the Institute, give considered opinion regarding the advisability of filing an appeal from such a decision not later than 5 working days of the order (kuchha copy).

3. General instructions

- a. The Advocate shall not advise any party or accept any case against the AIIA in which he/she has appeared or is likely to be called upon to appear for or advise which is likely to affect or lead to litigation against the AIIA;
- b. If the Advocate happens to be a partner of a firm of lawyers or solicitors, it shall be incumbent upon the firm not to take up any case against the AIIA in any Court of Law/Tribunal/Commission or any case arising out of those cases e.g. appeals and revisions;
- c. Effective Hearing means a hearing in which either one or more parties involved in the case are heard by the Court/Tribunal/Commission on the facts or law of the case. If the case is mentioned by the other side and adjourned or only when directions are given or only judgment is delivered by the Court/Tribunal/Commission, the same shall be a non-effective hearing;
- d. In cases where on the request of the Ministry of AYUSH, interests of UOI have also to be protected, no extra fees shall be paid to the advocate to watch and safeguard the interests of Ministry of AYUSH or UOI.

4. Right to private practice

The Counsel will have the right of private practice, which should not however, interfere with the efficient discharge of work of AIIA but he/she shall not advise, hold briefs or appear against AIIA before any authority, tribunal or court of law. If the counsel happens to be a partner in a firm of lawyers or solicitors, it will be incumbent on the firm, not to take up any case against AIIA in any court of law or; Any other case arising in other courts out of cases pertaining to AIIA e.g. appeals and revision in the High Court or the Supreme Court.

5. Termination of appointment/resignation

AllA reserves the right to terminate the empanelment of a Counsel with one month's notice in writing without assigning any reason. The counsel may also resign from the Institute by serving one month's notice. AllA is free to engage any advocate of its own choice and an empanelled Advocates shall make no claim that he/she alone should be entrusted with AllA's legal matter (s).

6. Schedule of fee and allowances

Fees for Standing Counsel and Panel Advocates in Supreme Court/High Courts /Tribunals/ Commissions, etc. will be same as provided in Department of Legal Affairs OM No.26(1)/2014/judl., dated 01.10.2015 (copy enclosed ANNEXURE-II) for similar category of counsel and as amended from time to time.

<u>Application for the Position of Standing Counsel(s)/Panel Counsel(s) in All India Institute of Ayurveda, New Delhi</u>

1. Name of the person:	Self-attested
2. PAN-Permanent Account Number*:	recent passport size photograph
3. Father's Name:	to be pasted
4. Date of Birth:	
5. Address for Correspondence:	
6. Permanent Address:	
7. Educational Qualification/experience: * (separate sheet may be attache	d, if required)
8. Category for which applying: Standing Counsel/Panel Advocates:	
9. Date of enrolment as an Advocate*:	
10. Whether a member of any Bar Association (Give details/registration N	o.):
11.If partner/engaged in a firm/institution, name(s) of firm(s) and other partner	artners:
Verification	
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r/othat whatever has been stated in the above application is true to best of k	hereby declare nowledge and belief.
	Signature
Date:	
Place:	
*self-attested documentary proof to be attached.	

No. 26(1)/2014/judl. Government of India Ministry of Law & Justice Department of Legal Affairs Judicial Section ******

New Delhi the 1st October, 2015

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Revision of fee payable to various categories of Central Government counsel.

In partial modification to this Department's various OMs issued from time to time, the undersigned is directed to convey approval of Competent Authority for the revision of the fee structure applicable to Government counsels of all the categories with immediate effect as per the details given below:-

The Fee structure applicable to Group 'A' 'B' and 'C' panel Counsel in Supreme

Court:-

SI.No.	Item of work	Revised fee Group 'A' Panel Counsel	Revised fee Group 'B'& 'C' Panel Counsel
1.	All Regular Appeals and defended Writ Petitions(for final hearing)	₹13,500/-per case per day	₹ 9,000/- per case per day
2.	All defended Admission matters (SLP/TP and writ petitions & other misc. matters for admission)	₹ 9,000-per case per day	₹ 4,500/-per case per day
3.	Settling of pleadings	₹5,250/- per case	****
4.	Applications	₹ 4,500/-per case	****
5.	Conference	₹ 900/- per conference	****
6.	Out of Head quarter	₹ 13,500/- daily fee for the days of his absence from HQ	₹ 9,000/- daily fee for the days of his absence from HQ.
7.	Conveyance charges for performing local journey while outside Headquarter.	₹ 1, 500/-	₹ 1,500/-
3.	Clerkage	NIL '	NIL
	Drafting SLP/Counter Affidavit/Rejoinder etc.		₹ 3,000/- per case
0.	Drawing Written Submission	***	₹ 3,000/- per case
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11.	Drafting or Appearance in Miscellaneous	***	₹ 3,000/-per case
	Applications (including mentioning of		
	the case/Caveat/Clearance/obtaining		
	the number and taking date for hearing)		

All other terms and conditions applicable to Group 'A', 'B' and 'C' Panel Counsel in Supreme Court in the pre-revised OM No. 21(04)/1999-Judl. dated 24.09.1999 read with OM No. 21(05)/ 2011-Judl. dated 01.10.2011 shall continue to remain applicable unless specifically revoked/revised.

(B)

The Fee structure applicable to Assistant Solicitors General of various High Courts, Central Government Standing Counsel of Delhi High Court (CGSC), Senior Central Government Standing Counsel (Sr. CGSC) of various Benches of CAT and Senior Panel Counsels in various High Courts/ CAT Benches (excluding the High Courts of Bombay and Calcutta) as per the following rates:-

SI. No.	Item of work	Revised fee
1.	Retainer Fee of:-	₹ 9000/- per month.
	Assistant Solicitor General of various High Courts, Central Government Standing Counsel of Delhi High Court (CGSC) and, Senior Central Government Standing Counsel (Sr. CGSC) of various Benches of CAT.	
2.	Suits, Writ Petitions and Appeals, including oral Applications for Leave to Appeal to Supreme Court in Writ Petitions.	₹ 9000/- per case per day of effective hearing in case of non-effective hearing ₹ 1500/- per day subject to a maximum of 5 hearing
3.	Application for Leave to Appeal to Supreme Court in Writ Petitions.	₹ 3000/- per case
4.	Settling pleadings	₹ 3000/- per case
5.	Miscellaneous Application	₹ 3000/- per case
6.	Conference	₹ 900/- per conference subject to: (i) for setting pleadings- one conference. (ii) In respect of hearing of Writ matters, Suits, appeals and Supreme courts leave applications etc- Three conference (Maximum)
7.	Miscellaneous and out of pocket expenses	As per actual to the satisfaction of the administrative Ministry/ Department.

All other terms and condition applicable to Senior Panel Counsels in various High Courts/ CAT Benches (excluding the High Courts of Bombay and Calcutta in to this Department's, OM No. 24(2)/99-Judl., OM No. 26(1)/99-Judl., OM No. 25(3)/99-Judl., and OM No. 26(2)/99-Judl., all dated 24.09.99, read with OM No. 26(1)/2005-Judl. dated 31.01.2008 and OM No. 26(1)/2011-Judl., dated 01.10.2011, shall continue to remain applicable unless specifically revoked/revised.

Revision of the fee structure applicable to the Panel Counsel of High Courts as well as of CAT Benches of Bombay and Kolkata:-

SI.No.	Item of Work	Special Counsel	Senior Counsel Group. I	Senior Counsel Group. II	Jr. Counsel Advocate on record
1.	Suits, Appeals, Writ /Revision Petitions including Special Civil Application in the High Court.	₹ 9000	₹ 6000	₹ 3750	₹ 1800
	Per conference/Consultation	₹ 900	₹ 750	₹ 600	₹ 450
2.	Application including Interim Motions, Notices, Appeals, Leave Application, Arbitration, Company Matters, Criminal Revision and other Land Acquisition References (per day per effective hearing)	₹ 3000	₹ 3000	₹ 2250	₹ 1350
	Per conference/Consultation	₹ 900	₹ 750	₹ 600	₹ 450
3.	Drafting or Settling Pleadings, and Affidavits (per pleadings)	₹ 3000	₹ 1800	₹ 1500	₹ 1050
	Per conference/Consultation	₹ 900	₹ 750	₹ 600	₹ 450
4.	Appearance before Arbitration and Tribunals, etc and Courts other than High Courts (Per day per effective hearing) Per conference/Consultation	₹ 7500	₹ 750	₹ 3750	₹ 2250
5.	Chamber Application, including Adjournment Application per day inclusive of consultation	NIL	₹ 1500	₹ 900	₹ 600
6.	Written opinions and written advice including advice on evidence (inclusive of consultation)	₹ 3750	₹ 2250	₹ 1350	₹ 1050

All other terms and conditions applicable to the Counsels of High Courts as well as of the CAT Benches of Bombay and Kolkata in the pre-revised OM No. 23(2)/2001-Judl. & OM No. 22(02)/2001dated 14th July, 2001 read with 23(2)2011-Judl. dated 1st October, 2011 shall continue to remain applicable unless specifically revoked/revised:-

Note:- There will be no ceiling on the number of conference/ consultation in the case of Special Counsel, however in the case of other categories of Counsels, the number of conferences per cases will be limited to four (relaxable to six at the discretion of the Incharge (Litigation) of Branch Secretariat, Mumbai/Kolkata.

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The Fee structure applicable for Panel Counsel, Delhi High Court and Central Govt. Counsel/ Pleader of various High Courts (including Panel Counsel of various CAT, Benches) excluding the High Courts of Bombay and Calcutta, as per the following rates:-

SI.No.	Item of Work	Revised fee
1.	Civil or Criminal Writ Petition under Article 226 & 227 of the Constitution, Contempt Petitions Criminal/Civil Revision Petitions Reference to the High Court under Sales Tax Act and Banking Company Petitions,	e ₹450/- per non-effective hearings
2.	Original Suits, Civil Appeal from Decrees in Suits and proceedings including second appeal and land acquisition appeal except LPA from Petitions under Article 226 & 227 of the Constitution (including drafting fee)	maximum of ₹ 45,000/- in a case.)
3.	Company Petitions	To be regulated by the rule contained in Appendix (iii) of the Company (Court) Rules, 1959
4.	Drafting of pleadings counter affidavits/returns/answer to Writ Petitions/Grounds of Appeal and application for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court	
5.	Drafting of Civil Misc. applications to petitions under the Indian Succession Act, Contempt of Court proceedings and other proceedings of an original nature	
).	Civil Misc. petitions, forma paupers, transfer petitions and other civil misc. petitions of routine nature	₹ 450/- per petition
	Consultation /conference fee	₹ 450/- per conference (subject to maximum of 4 conferences in a case)

Appearance before the High Court in application under Section 34 & 37 of	₹2,250/- per effective hearing
the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 Appearance before Arbitrator/Umpires etc.	₹ 450/- per non-effective hearing (subject to a maximum of 5 hearing in a case).
	₹ 450/- per non-effective hearing (subject to a maximum of 5 hearings in a case).

All other terms and condition applicable to above mentioned Counsels in to this Department's, in OM No. 24(2)/99-Judl., OM No. 26(1)/99-Judl., OM No. 25(3)/99-Judl. and OM No. 26(2)/99-Judl, all dated 24.09.99 read with OM No. 26(1)/2005-Judl. dated 31.01.2008 and shall continue to remain applicable unless specifically revoked/revised.

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The Fee structure Standing Govt. Counsel and Additional Standing Govt. Counsel in the District and Subordinate Courts:-

SI.No.	Item of work	David A.
1.	Retainer fee for Standing Gov Counsel	Revised fee t. ₹ 6000 per month
2.	Fee for effective hearing	
3.	Fee for non-effective hearing	₹ 1800 per day
		₹ 600 per day (not more than 5 suc hearings in a case)
4.	Fee for drafting Writter Statement, Grounds of Appeal etc.	₹ 1500 por pland'
5.	Fee for drafting other pleadings of misc. nature	₹ 600 per pleading
6.	Fee per Conference	₹ 900 (subject to maximum of 5 such conferences in a case / group of identical cases)
7.	Daily fee for out of Headquarters	₹ 2700 per day
8.	Conveyance charges for local journey outside Headquarters	₹ 900 (lump sum)
9.	Expenses for stay in hotels	₹ 1900 per de
10.	Clerkage	₹ 1800 per day
		@ 10% of total fee excluding miscellaneous and out of pocket expenses (maximum ₹ 5250 in a case)
11.	Fee for identical Cases	Full fee in the 1 st case and ₹ 750 in per suit for connected cases (max. 3 cases)
	Miscellaneous and out of pocket expenses	As per actual to the satisfaction of the administrative Department.

All other terms and conditions applicable to above mentioned Counsels in to this Department's, OM No. 27(11)/1999-Judl dated 24.09.1999 read with OM No. 27 (25)/2011-Judl. dated 01.09.2011, shall continue to remain applicable unless specifically revoked/revised.

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The Fee structure applicable to Senior/Junior Arbitration Panel Counsel:-

SI. No.	Details of work	Proposed Revised fee
1.	Fee for effective hearing	
	Senior Counsel	Rs. 2,250/- per appearance
	Junior Counsel	Rs. 1,500/- per appearance
2.	Fee for non-effective hearing	
	Senior Counsel	Rs. 450/- per appearance
	Junior Counsel	Rs. 300/- per appearance (maximum four such hearings)
3.	For drafting pleadings	
	Senior Counsel	Rs. 1,500/- per pleading
	Junior Counsel	Rs. 750/- per pleading
4.	Conference fee	
	Senior Counsel	Rs. 450/- per conference
	Junior Counsel	Rs. 300/- per conference (maximum three such conferences in a case)
5.	Daily fee out of Headquarters	
	Senior Counsel	Rs. 3,000/- per day
	Junior Counsel	Rs. 2,250/- per day

All other terms and conditions applicable to OM No. 30(3)/99-Judl. dated 24.09.99 read with OM No. 26(1)/2005/Judl. dated 31.01.2008, shall continue to remain applicable unless specifically revoked/revised.

- The above revised fee will be effective from 01.10. 2015.
- 3. The counsel will be paid fee at the old rates in respect of their appearance in the Court etc. and other work done by them prior to 01.10. 2015 and at the revised rates in respect of the work done by them on/after 01.10. 2015.
- This issues with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure
 E.II(B) Branch, ID Note No.9 (11)/99-E.II(B) dated 02.03.2015 and 07.08.2015.

(Suresh Chandra)

Joint Secretary and Legal Adviser

Tele No. 23387806

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Copy to:

- 1. All Ministries/Departments to the Government of India.
- Incharge, Central Agency Section, Litigation (HC) Section, Litigation Lower Courts Section. All Groups-A, B & C panel counsel of Supreme Court through Incharge, Central Agency Section.
- All Senior Panel Counsel of High Courts/ CATs through concerned Assistant Solicitors General in High Courts/ Sr. CGSC of CATs Benches.
- 4. All Assistant Solicitors General in various High Courts/ Sr. CGSC of CATs Benches.
- All Central Government Standing Counsel/Central Government Pleaders of Delhi High Court.
- 6. All Asstt. Solicitors General/Central Legal Adviser of various High Courts.
- All Senior Central Government Standing Counsel/Addl. Central Government Standing Counsel of various CAT Benches.
- All Standing Govt. Counsel and Additional Standing Govt. Counsel before various District and Subordinate Courts as per the list.
- 9. All Senior/Junior Counsel of the Arbitration Panel.
- 10. All Special Counsel, Senior Counsel Group-I, Senior Counsel Group-II and Junior Counsel of High Courts as well as CATs Benches of Bombay and Kolkata through the concerned Incharge of Branch Secretariat of Bombay and Kolkata.
- 11. Incharge, Branch Secretariats Mumbai/ Kolkata/ Chennai/ Bangalore.
- 12. All Sections of Department of Legal Affairs.
- 13. Legal Advisor, Railway Board, New Delhi (with 5 spare copies).
- 14. Department of Personnel and Training (AT Section), New Delhi (with 5 s/copies.)
- 15. Joint Secretary (Legal), Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, New Delhi (with 5 s / copies)
- 16. CBDT, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, New Delhi (with 5 s / copies).
- 17. Branch Secretariats Mumbai/Calcutta/Chennai/Bangalore.
- 18. Ministry of Urban Development, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
- Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, New Delhi w.r.t. their ID Note No.9 (11)/99-E.II(B) dated 02.03.2015 and 07.08.2015..
- 20. DGS&D, New Delhi
- 21. NIC Cell with the request to upload the same in the website of this Department.
- 22. Judicial Section with 50 spare copies.
- 23. O.L. Section for Hindi translation.

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