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No. 948 /CBI/ACB/Patna dated. /3.03.2025

ADVERTISEMENT FOR APPOINTMENT/ENGAGEMENT OF SPECIAL PUBLIC PROSECUTORS (RETAINER COUNSEL) IN CBI ACB PATNA TO CONDUCT CASES IN H'BLE HIGH COURT, PATNA

CBI, Anti-Corruption Branch, Patna intends to engage 03 (three) advocates as Special Public Prosecutors (Retainer Counsels) to conduct the Prosecution, Appeals, Revisions and other matters arising out of the cases investigated by CBI in H'ble High Court, Patna.

In this regard, applications are invited from the eligible advocates for engagement as Special Public Prosecutors (Retainer Counsels) in CBI to conduct the Prosecution, Appeals, Revisions and other matters arising out of the cases investigated by CBI in H'ble Patna High Court, Patna.

- 2. PROFESSIONAL FEE: Counsel fee/Professional fee of the Advocates engaged as Special Public Prosecutor (Retainer Counsel) will be governed by the terms and conditions contained in DoPT letter No. 225/19/2023-AVD.II dated 08/04/2024 (copy enclosed).
- 3. **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** The following eligibility criteria may be considered carefully by the applicant while submitting the application for the appointment/engagement of CBI Special Public Prosecutor (Retainer Counsel) to conduct the Prosecution, Appeals, Revisions and other matters arising out of the cases investigated by CBI in H'ble High Court, Patna.





- (ii) Enrollment Certificate as on Advocate with the Bar Council.
- (iii) Experience at Bar of handling Criminal matters in Courts including the High Courts.
- (iv) Unconditional willingness/ consent to work on the general terms and conditions approved by the Government of India from time to time
- (v) A minimum experience of 10 years as an advocate with experience in handling in criminal matters.
- 4. PERIOD: 03 (Three) YEARS.
- 5. Nature of JOB: To conduct the Prosecution, Appeals, Revisions and other matters arising out of the cases investigated by CBI or related to CBI in the H'ble High Court, Patna.

6. DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED ALONGWITH THE APPLICATION:

Following documents are required to be submitted along with the application:

- (i) Copies of Educational Qualifications.
- (ii) Copy of Enrollment Certificate as on Advocate with the Bar Council.
- (iii) Experience at Bar of handling Criminal matters as an advocate.
- (iv) Unconditional willingness/ consent to work on the general terms and conditions approved by the Govt. of India from time to time.
- (v) List of important cases handled by the applicant advocate.
- 7. The complete application in prescribed format (enclosed herewith) along with the requisite documents should be submitted thought online link. (https://cbi.gov.in/Resources/vacancies). Incomplete applications and applications submitted offline shall not be considered. Further, no application

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shall be entertained by CBI, which are submitted after last date of submission of application.

8. Last date of receipt of online applications: 05/04/2025.

Pranjal Rundla, IP\$
Superintendent of Police
Head of Branch
CBI/ACB/Patna

Encl: - Proforma of Application for appointment/engagement as Special Public Prosecutor (Retainer Counsel)

PERFORMA OF APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT/ENGAGEMENT AS RETAINER COUNSEL (SPECIAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR) FOR CBI TRIAL CASES IN PATNA HIGH COURT, PATNA

1	NAME			
2.	DATE OF BIRTH/ AGE			
3.	FATHER NAME			
4.	MOTHER'S NAME		4	
5.	ADRESS (i) Residence			
	(ii) Office			
	(iii) Tel/Mobile No.			
	(iv) Email ID			
6.	EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS			
7.	DATE OF ENROLEMENT AS AN ADVOCATE			
8.	EXPERIENCE (Criminal Side)	SUBORDINA TE COURT	HIGH COURT	SUPREME COURT
	(i)At bar (in year)			
	(ii)no. Of criminal cases handled			
	(iii)No. Of cases when appeared on behalf			
	(a) CBI (b) Central Government Ministries/Department /Organisation (c) State			
	Government/Ministrie s/Departments/			

	Organisations			
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9.	IMPORTANT CASES	SUBORDINAT E COURT	HIGH COURT	SUPREME COURT
	(I) List of important criminal cases handled (Annexure, required) (II) List of important cases wherever appeared on behalf of (a) CBI			
	(b) Central Government Ministries/Department /Organisation (c) State Government/Ministrie s/Departments/ Organisations			
10.	SUCCESS AHIEVED	SUBORDINAT E COURT	HIGH COURT	SUPREME COURT
	(I) Name the important cases where success was achieved (II) Name the important successful cases where appeared behalf of (a) CBI			
	(b) Central Government Ministries/Department /Organisation			
	(c) State Government/Ministrie s/Departments/ Organisations			
11.	IN CASES OF RENEWAL OF			
	TENURE	1		

handled during previous tenure (ii)Outcome (a) Won (b) Lost (c) Pending			
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(b) Lost			
(c) Pending			
WORK LOAD-	SUBORDINAT E COURT	HIGH COURT	SUPREME COURT
(I) No. Of cases in hand			
(ii)No. Of cases belonging to:-			,
a) CBI			
(b) Central Government Ministries/Department/Or ganisation			
(c)State Government/Ministries/D epartments/ Organisations			
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PANEL LAWYER/STANDING COUNSEL/LEGAL			
ADVISER IN CENTRAL/STATE GOVRNMENT/ MINISTRIES/DEPARTMENTS / ORGANISATIONS			
DOES THE PROPOSAL HAVE THE APPROVAL OF	DOP/CBI	Director CBI	Learned Attorney General
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15	TERMS AND CONDITIONS- (a) Whether standard prescribed terms and conditions		
	(b) If not, terms and condition, proposed by CBI		

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Dated:

SIGNATURE

F. No. 225/19/2023-AVD-II

Government of India

Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) (AVD-II Section)

New Delhi, dated the 8th April, 2024

To.

The Director, Central Bureau of Investigation, CGO Complex, New Delhi.

Subject: Enhancement of fee payable to Special Counsels (Special Public Prosecutors) for conducting CBI cases in Trial Courts-reg.

Sir.

In supersession of this Department's letter No. 225/30/2005-AVD-II dated 20.09.2006 on the subject cited above, I am directed to convey the approval of Competent Authority for revision of fee structure payable to Special Counsels/Special Public Prosecutors for conducting CBI Cases in Trail Courts as mentioned below:

(A) for conducting Trial in CBI cases in the Courts located at Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata and Chennai:

S. No.	Particulars	Revised Fee
1.	For appearance in Trial Courts	Effective hearing Rs. 10,000/- per case per day
delicated by the particular and the same and		Non-effective hearing 1/3rd of the Effective hearing if after appearance in the court, effective hearing could not take place and circumstances were beyond the control of the Special Counsel.
2.	Drafting fee per	Rs. 3,000/-
3.	Conference charges	Rs. 1000/- per hour per conference subject to maximum 5 conferences in an individual case/Group of cases
4.	Out of Pocket expenses	Rs. 1000/- per case
5.	Travelling Allowance	At the rates as admissible to the Gazetted Officers (Group-A)

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(B) For conducting Trial in CBI cases in the Courts at places other than Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata and Chennai:

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S.	Particulars	Revised Fee	
No.			
	For appearance in Trial Courts	Effective hearing Rs. 7,500/- per case per day	
		Non-effective hearing 1/3rd of the Effective hearing if after appearance in the court, effective hearing could not take place and circumstances were beyond the control of the Special Counsel.	
2.	Drafting fee per pleading	Rs. 2,000/-	
3.	Conference charges Rs. 600/- per hour per conferences in individual case/Group of cases.		
4.	Out of Pocket expenses	Rs. 750/- per case	
5	Travelling Allowance	At the rates as admissible to the Gazetted Officers (Group-A)	

(C) Other entitlements which are as under:

S. No.	Particulars	Revised Fee
1.	Out of Headquarters	If the Counsel is required to go out of Headquarters in connection with conducting the CBI cases e.g. for appearance in court outside the Headquarters, he will be entitled to a daily fee of Rs. 1000/- per day for the days of his absence from the Headquarters including the days of the departure from, intervening holidays and arrival back at the Headquarters.
		Provided that no fee will be paid for the day of departure if he leaves the Headquarters after court hours or for the day of arrival if he arrives at the Headquarters before the court hours.

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S. No.	Particulars	Revised Fee
2.	Travel/Hotel Expenses	In addition to the daily fec, the counsel will also be entitled to travel expenses for travel by air (economy class)/AC-II tier or first class by train, road mileage for the journey from his headquarters to the airport/railway station and viceversa and from the airport/railway station to the place of his stay out of Headquarters and vice-versa at the rates admissible to the Group A Gazette Officer of the Central Government, he will also be paid conveyance charges for performing local journey while outside the Headquarters at the rates as admissible to the Group A Gazetted Officer subject to a maximum of Rs.338/- per day. he will also be entitled to a reasonable actual expense for stay in Hotel at the rates as admissible to the Group A Gazetted Officer subject to a maximum of Rs.2250/- per day in terms of instructions issued by the Ministry of Finance from time to time.
3.	Clerkage	The Counsel will be entitled to 10% of fees subject to a maximum of Rs. 1800/-in a case or batch of cases by way of Clerkage.
4.	Out of Pocke Expenses	the time of filing a case; and other miscellaneous expenses not exceeding Rs. 750/- should be obtained by the counsel in advance from the concerned branch/unit of CBI on whose behalf the Counsel will conduct the cases in the trial court. An account of the expenses incurred should be rendered to the concerned branch/Unit while presenting the final fee bill.

- 2. The expenditure involved will be met from the budget grant of Central Bureau of Investigation.
- 3. This issues with concurrence of Ministry of Law & Justice (Department of Legal Affairs) vide their ID No. J-12013/60/2024-Judical dated 20.03.2024, and in consultation with the IFD/MHA vide e-File Note No.56 dated 07.04.2024.

Yours faithfully

8/4/2024

(Kundan Nath)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

- 1. The Accountant General, Central Revenues, New Delhi.
- 2. The Pay & Accounts Officer, CBI, CGO Complex, New Delhi.
- 3 Director of Prosecution, CBI, CGO Complex, New Delhi.
- 4. Department of Legal Affairs, New Delhi w.r.t. their ID Note No.J-12013/60/2024-Judical dated 20.03.2024.
- 5. Guard File.