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सेवा में,

निदेशक/प्रभारी निदेशक
परिषद के सभी संस्थान/केन्द्र

महोदय/महोदया,

विभिन्न मंत्रालयों/विभागों से प्राप्त निम्नलिखित अर्द्ध सरकारी पत्र/कार्यालय ज्ञापन, सूचना एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही के लिए संलग्न है।

SI.No	Reference No. & Date	Name of Ministry	Subject
1.	O.M. No. J-12012/3/2018- JUDICIAL Dated: 07.03.2018	Ministry of Law & Justice, Department of Legal Affairs (Judicial Section), New Delhi	Seeking opinion from Law Officers directly by the Ministries/Departments/PSUs, etc.-Regarding.
2.	D.O. No.67/07/2024-P.6(Content Sourcing) Dated: 20.11.2024	India's Public Service Broadcaster, Prasar Bharati House, New Delhi	Request to Download WAVES OTT App of Prasar Bharati and #Ride The Waves
3.	O.M. No. 25013/01/2024-Pers.Policy A-IV Dated:22.11.2024	Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Personnel & Training, New Delhi	Periodic Review of Government Employees for strengthening of administration under Fundamental Rule (FR) 56(j) and similar Provisions-
4.	D.O. No. CC-12016/1/2023-CCPD Dated:13.01.2025	Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), New Delhi	Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016-reg.

भवदीय,

Signed by Jagdish Rajesh
Date: 12-02-2025 20:49:00

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Subject: Seeking opinion from Law Officers directly by the Ministries/Departments/PSUs, etc. — Regarding.

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Respected Sir / Madam,

Please find enclosed OM dated 07.03.2018 issued by Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law and Justice on the subject "Seeking opinion from Law Officers directly by the Ministries/Departments/PSUs, etc. — Regarding" for information and compliance.

With regards,

Shiv Kumar,
Principal Private Secretary,
office of Shri Mukesh Kumar Maroria,
In-charge,
Central Agency Section,
Supreme Court Compound,
New Delhi

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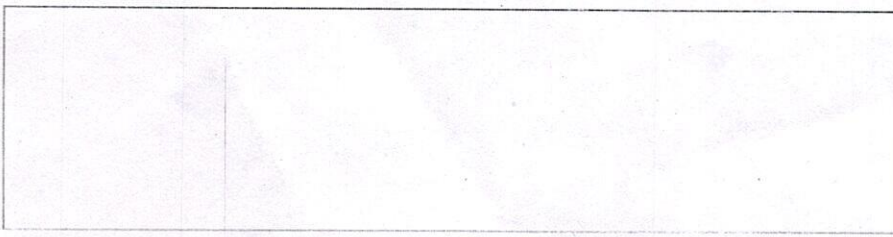
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F. No. J-12012/3/2018-JUDICIAL
Government of India
Ministry of Law & Justice
Department of Legal Affairs
(Judicial Section)

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi,
Dated 7th March, 2018

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Seeking opinion from Law Officers directly by the Ministries/Departments/PSUs, etc. – Regarding.

It has been informed by Ld. Attorney General for India vide letter dated 09.08.2017 (copy enclosed for ready reference) that some of the Ministries/Departments are approaching Law Officers directly for seeking their opinion/advice.

2. It may not be out of place to mention that rule of law demands that functions should be discharged by the authority on whom such functions are conferred in the manner prescribed therefor. The legal matters including interpretation of the Constitution and the laws is assigned to the Department of Legal Affairs in contradistinction to the individual officers vide The Government of India (Allocation of Business) Rules, 1961 and the Government of India (Transaction of Business) Rules, 1961. The attention of all the concerned is invited, in this regard, to para 31 of the Manual of Office Procedures and the Law Officers (Conditions of Service) Rules, 1987 (available on this Department's website www.legalaffairs.gov.in in the tab 'Judicial Section' under heading 'Circulars pertaining to litigations').

2.1 Para 31 of the Manual of Office Procedures provides as under:

Para 31: References to the AGI – References to the Attorney General of India shall be made by the Ministry of Law and Justice.

2.2 Rule 8 of the Law Officers (Conditions of Service) Rules, 1987 is also reproduced below for the attention of all concerned:

8. Restrictions- (1) A Law Officer shall not –

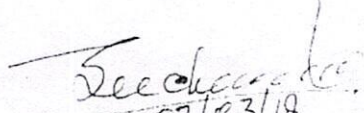
- (a) Hold briefs in any court for any party except the Government of India or the Government of a State or any University, Government School or College, local authority, Public Service Commission, Port Trust, Port Commissioners, Government aided or Government managed hospitals, a Government company as defined in Section 617 of the Companies Act, 1956 (1 of 1956), any Corporation owned or controlled by the State, any body or institution in which the Government has a preponderating interest;
- (b) Advise any party against the Government of India or a Public Sector Undertaking, or in cases in which he is likely to be called upon to advise, or appear for, the Government of India or a Public Sector Undertaking;
- (c) Defend an accused person in a criminal prosecution, without the permission of the Government of India,
- (d) Accept appointment to any office in any company or corporation without the permission of the Government of India;
- (e) Advise any Ministry or Department of Government of India or any statutory organization or any Public Sector Undertaking unless the proposal or a reference in this regard is received through the Ministry of Law and Justice, Department of Legal Affairs.

3. All the Ministries/Departments are again requested that while seeking legal advice they should follow procedure so as to avoid illegality / impropriety on account of jurisdictional error or procedural impropriety and necessary instructions in this regard may also be issued to all the PSUs/Autonomous Bodies under their control.

4. The Law Officers are also requested that in cases other than sub-judice matters opinion / advice to Central Government Ministries / Departments / PSUs / Autonomous Bodies or any other Central Government instrumentalities may not be tendered without getting reference from this Ministry.

5. This issues with the approval of the Hon'ble Minister for Law and Justice.

Encls: As above.


(Suresh Chandra)
Law Secretary

To,

1. All Ministries/Departments of Government of India.
2. All the Law Officers viz. the Attorney General for India, Solicitor General of India and Additional Solicitor Generals of India.
3. The Incharge, Central Agency Section.
4. The Incharge, Branch Secretariats at Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai & Bengaluru.
5. The Incharge, Litigation (High Court/CAT/Lower Court) Sections.

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2. One copy of this OM is uploaded on the website of this Department i.e. www.legalaffairs.gov.in in the tab 'Judicial Section' under heading 'Circulars pertaining to litigations' for the information of all concerned.
3. Five spare copies to be kept in Guard File.


(Inder Kumar)
Additional Secretary
Tel. 011-23384101

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Secy (DHR) Office
FTS No : 3958260
Date : 20.11.24

D.O No.: 67/07/2024-P.6(Content Sourcing)

20th November 2024

Dear Sir,

I am happy to inform you that Prasar Bharati is launching its OTT platform, "WAVES- Entertainment Ki Nayi Leher", on 20th November 2024. This innovative platform aims to cater to the diverse content preferences of Indian audiences, blending tradition and modernity while keeping the ethos of public service broadcasting at its core.

2. On this significant occasion, we seek your good wishes and support for "WAVES" OTT. In this regard, I request your ministry's support in popularising Waves OTT App through your social media handles, by using the hashtag #EntertainmentKiNayiLehar.

3. I request you to use and promote the hashtag to create a unified campaign. Your active engagement would greatly amplify its reach and impact.

4. Your support will further our shared vision of empowering every Indian with quality content that informs, educates, and entertains. And please download the App on your mobile and give your valuable feedback.

SR.DDG(A) OFFICE, ICMR

DIARY NO. 208/24

DATE 28/11/24

Regards,

Js(Av) / Sr. DG (Adm-)

RB

Sr. AO (Adm-)

Yours sincerely,

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(Gaurav Dwivedi)

Dr. Rajiv Bahl
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[Secy-goi] Re: Periodic review of Government Employees for strengthening of administration under Fundamental Rule (FR) 56(j) and similar provisions - reg.

AS ANKITA SHARMA <ankita.sharma29n@gov.in> •
Fri, 22 Nov 2024 5:49:50 PM +0530 •

DG, IOMR OFFICE

Diary No. 944459

Date 02/12/2024

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Respected Sir/Ma'am

Please find DoPT's OM No. 25013/01/2024-Pers. Policy A-IV dated 22.11.2024 enclosed herewith for appropriate action.

Kind regards

Ankita Sharma
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No. 25013/01/2024-Pers.Policy A-IV
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training

North Block, New Delhi - 110001
Dated: 22 November, 2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- Periodic Review of Government Employees for strengthening of administration under Fundamental Rule (FR) 56(j) and similar Provisions-reg.

As you are well aware that review of Government Employees for strengthening of administration under Fundamental Rule (FR) 56(j) and similar provisions is being monitored regularly in the Government. In this regard, various meetings at the level of Secretary(P) have been held with Ministries/ Departments in the past. This was followed up by series of OMs from Department of Personnel & Training seeking consolidated data on above subject. Instructions have also been issued to all Ministries/ Departments to update the information on the Probity Portal also.

2. Since this is an ongoing exercise, it is once again reiterated that Ministries/ Departments may send the updated status of following information for the period from 1.4.2024 to till date at email: kumar.lalit@nic.in in word file on priority basis: -

(A) Consolidated data on FR 56(j)/ similar provision ((in respect of Main Secretariat/ Attached offices/Subordinate offices/Autonomous bodies/ Statutory bodies)

Data from 01.04.2024 to till date					
No. of employees Reviewed			No of employees retired		
Group A	Group B	Group C	Group A	Group B	Group C

(B) Information of CPSEs of Ministries/ Departments invoking similar provisions during the period.

S.No.	Name of the CPSE	Reviewed		Retired	
		Executive	Non-executive	Executive	Non-executive
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(C) Apart from this, information on employees who have been compulsorily retired/ removed/ dismissed from service etc. during the period: -

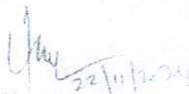
S.No.	Name of Ministry	Group A	Group B	Group C
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3. Further, it has been observed that the data submitted by Ministries/ Department through e-mail is not at all in sync with the data posted on the probity portal which is causing confusion. Therefore, all Ministries/ Department are requested to kindly re-check their data posted on Probity portal and get it updated (on monthly basis, having cumulative data for the period 1.4.2024 to till date) so that similar set of data is available at both ends.


(Lalit Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

To

All Secretaries of Ministries/ Departments of the Government of India
(As per the standard list)

Copy to: PPS to Additional Secretary (PP).

राजीव शर्मा
संयुक्त सचिव
Rajeev Sharma
Joint Secretary



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Government of India
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan)

D.O. No. CC-12016/1/2023-CCPD

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Dated: 13th January, 2025

Dear

Madam/Sir,

Greetings from the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities.

As you are aware, the parliament enacted the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 to develop the India into an inclusive and accessible nation where the individual autonomy and dignity of persons with disabilities, their freedom of choice, divergent needs and capacities are respected by one and all. The Act provides several rights to the persons with disabilities with respect to education, employment, accessibility, justice, etc. and thus creates legally binding obligations on state as well as non-state agencies. It is noted with due concerns that there is widespread lack of awareness and sensitivity in the government establishments about the provisions of this Act. Often, it is brought to the notice of this department that government establishments are not responding to the notices and recommendations issued under the provisions of the Act by statutory authorities.

To put the above in context, it is pointed out that the Act at Chapter XII envisages for establishment of an Office of the Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities (CCPD) with a mandate to monitor implementation of the Act. Section 75 mandates the CCPD to *inter alia* identify, suo motu or otherwise, the provisions of any law or policy, programme and procedures, which are inconsistent with the Act and to look into complaints inter-alia, concerning matters relating to deprivation of rights of persons with disabilities either on his own motion or on the application of any aggrieved person and recommend necessary corrective steps.

In order to enable the CCPD to discharge its mandate effectively, Section 77 of the Act empowers it with the powers of a civil court and declares that the proceedings before it are judicial in respect of functions mentioned in the Section. Section 76 mentions that whenever the Chief Commissioner makes a recommendation to an authority in pursuance of clause (b) of section 75, that authority shall take necessary action on it, and inform the Chief Commissioner of the action taken within three months from the date of receipt of the recommendation.

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It further states that Provided that where an authority does not accept a recommendation, it shall convey reasons for non acceptance to the Chief Commissioner within a period of three months, and shall also inform the aggrieved person. In other words, the government establishment may or may not accept the recommendations, but not informing the CCPD of the action taken or reasons for non-acceptance is not an option before them. Unfortunately, in more than 50% of the cases, the establishments have failed to do so.

Lastly, Section 93 of the Act makes non-furnishing of information sought a punishable offence. The CCPD though, empowered to imposes fines under Section 89 of the Act, has used this rarely. It has been observed that in about 80% of the cases the notices for comments are responded to only after issue of a reminder or a notice for persons hearing. In still worse cases, some establishments fail to appear or get represented during the hearings as well. Recently, Hon'ble Supreme Court has admitted a PIL namely Dr. Satender Singh Vs UOI {WP(C) 636/2024} on this very issue.

You are, therefore, requested to sensitise the officers of your ministries/departments as well as the establishment under the administrative control of your ministry/department against such disregard for the RPwD Act and authorities created under it.

Kind regards

Yours sincerely,

(Rajeev Sharma)

To,

Secretary
All Ministries/ Departments