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No. GAD-LK-LOK-0003-2024/02/OLSC, Bhubaneswar, dated the 28TH Feb. 2024

ADVERTISEMENT

The Search Committee constituted under sub-section (3) of Section 4 of the Odisha Lokayukta Act, 2014 hereby invites Application in the Form, as prescribed in the web-portal www.odishalokayuktasearchcommittee.in for filling up 1(one) post of Chairperson and 5 (five) posts of Members in the Lokayukta of Odisha on the following terms and conditions. *(A copy of the format is enclosed as Annexure-A only for guidance of applicants and all applications will be accepted only in online mode through the web portal)*

Terms & Conditions:-

1. Chairperson of Odisha Lokayukta - For filling 01 (one) Post.

Requisite Qualification for the Post:

- (a) a person who is or has been a Chief Justice of High Court or
- (b) a person who is or has been a Judge of a High Court or
- (c) an eminent person who is a person of impeccable integrity and outstanding ability having special knowledge and expertise of not less than twenty years in the matters relating to public administration, finance including Insurance and banking, law, anti-corruption policy or management.

2. Members in the Lokayukta of Odisha - For filling 5 (five) Posts as follows.-

(i) 2 (two) Posts for Judicial Members:-

Requisite Qualification for the Post:

A person who is or has been a Judge of a High Court.

(ii) 3 (three) Posts for non-Judicial Members.-

Requisite Qualification for the Post:



An eminent person who is a person of impeccable integrity and outstanding ability having special knowledge and expertise of not less than twenty years in the matters relating to public administration, finance including insurance and banking, law, anti-corruption policy or management.

Persons applying for the above mentioned posts at para 1 & 2 of this Advertisement shall not be eligible as per sub-section (4) of Section 3 of the Odisha Lokayukta Act 2014 (Odisha Act 12 of 2018) if he is:-

- i. A member of Parliament or a member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory,
- ii. A person convicted of any offence involving moral turpitude;
- iii. A member of any Panchayat or Municipality;
- iv. A person who has been removed or dismissed from service of the Union or a State; or
- v. A person holding any office of trust or profit (other than his office as the Chairperson or a Member) or person connected with any political party or carry on any business or practice any profession.

3. Age Criteria

Person applying for the post of the Chairperson and the Members of the Odisha Lokayukta as at para 1 and 2 of this Advertisement should **not be less than 50 (fifty) years of age and shall not be more than 70 (seventy) years of age as on 01.03.2024.**

4. Tenure of posts:

The person empanelled, as the case may be, as Chairperson and Member of the Odisha Lokayukta shall hold office for a term of 5 (five) years from the date of entering his office or until such person attains the age of seventy years, whichever is earlier.

5. Salaries and Allowances:

The salaries and Allowances shall be as per the terms and conditions as Specified under Section 7 of the Odisha Lokayukta Act, 2014 as follows:

1. The salaries and allowance of the Chairperson of the Odisha Lokayukta shall be the same as those of the Chief Justice of the High Court of Orissa.
2. The salaries and allowance of persons appointed as Members of the Odisha Lokayukta shall be the same as those of a Judge of the High Court of Orissa.

Procedure for applying for the Posts:

6. All applicants must submit their applications **ONLY IN ONLINE MODE** in the prescribed proforma which is available in the web Portal (www.odishalokayuktasearchcommittee.in)



PHYSICAL APPLICATIONS SHALL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Applications which are not in the prescribed proforma will be summarily rejected.

Provided, that nominations recommended by Hon'ble Chief Justice of India, Hon'ble Chief Justices of High Court and former Hon'ble Chief Justices of High Courts will be accepted in offline mode. The recommended nominations will have to emailed at: lokayuktasearchcommittee@gmail.com

7. The Search Committee would also be at liberty to consider the nominations made amongst others by Institutions of Excellence relevant to the process, in response to the advertisement.

8. The applications **(to be made only in online mode as per the format available in the web portal)** or nominations shall be made in a prescribed format (Annexed as **Annexure A**) accompanied by a declaration that the person applying/ nominated does not suffer from any of the disqualifications as prescribed under Section 3(4) of the Odisha Lokayukta Act, 2014. The person should indicate whether she/he belongs to the category of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes, Minorities or Women. (Copy of the Odisha Lokayukta Act 2014 is annexed as **Annexure B** for ready reference)

9. Applications, complete in all respects, should be submitted latest by 05.00 PM on 11.03.2024 through online Web portal i.e. www.odishalokayuktasearchcommittee.in.

10. This Advertisement No. GAD-LK-LOK-0003-2024/02/OLSC, dtd. 28th Feb. 2024 along with the "Application Form" in the prescribed format can be downloaded from the web portal (www.odishalokayuktasearchcommittee.in).



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