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No.F.13-8/2015-BoG January 27, 2016

OFFICE ORDER NO.111/2016

Subject: Revision of fee payable to various categories of Central Government counsels - reg.

The undersigned is directed to convey that the Board of Governors in its 20^{th} meeting held on 19.12.2015 on the recommendation of 19^{th} Finance Committee adopted revision of fee payable to various categories of Central Government counsels as communicated by MHRD vide its letter No.31-1/2014-TS-I(pt) dated 04.11.2015. The same is attached herewith.

This comes into force with immediate effect.

Encl.: As above.

(D Gunasekaran) Registrar

To

Shri Debaraj Rath, Deputy Registrar (F&A)

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F. No. 31-1/2014-T.S.-I(Pt.)

Government of India

Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of Higher Education
Technical Section-I

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 4th November, 2015

To,
Directors,
All IITs

Subject:- Revision of fee payable to various categories of Central Government counsels- reg.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of Economic Administration Division's OM No. 10-5/2015-AR dated 27-10-2015 on the above mentioned subject for appropriate action.

Encl.- as above

Yours faithfully,

(Prisca Mathew)

Under Secretary to the Government of India Ph. No. 011-23381698

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F. No. 21-96/2015-TS-II

Government of India

Ministry of Human Resource Development

Deptt. of Higher Education Technical Section-II

Dated: 29.10.2015

Subject: Revision of fee payable to various categories of Central Government counsels - reg.

Please find enclosed a copy of letter No. 10-5/2015-AR dated 27.10.2015 on the subject mentioned above for taking appropriate and necessary action in the matter.

(Daulat Ram)
Under Secretary (TC)

Encl: As above.

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F.No.10-5/2015-AR

Government of India Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of Higher Education (Economic Administration Division) ✓

Dated: October 23, 2015

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Revision of fee payable to various categories of Central Government counsels - req.

The undersigned is directed to forward a copy of Office Memorandum No.26(1)/2014/judl. dated 01.10.2015 received from Ministry of Law and Justice, Department of Legal Affairs on the subject mentioned above for information and necessary action in respect of payment to the various categories of Central Government Counsels.

Under Secr

Encl:- As above.

AS(T) FTS-154186/2015

- All Bureau Heads in the Department of Higher Education.
- EA(SE&L) in respect of Department of School Education & Literacy. (2)
- Copy to NIC: for uploading on the e-office. (3)

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

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:-

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

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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:-

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No.		Revised fee
1.	Retainer Fee of:- Assistant Solicitor General of various Courts, Central Government Standing Cou	₹ 9000/- per month.
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	Suits, Writ Petitions and Appeals, including of Applications for Leave to Appeal to Supreme Court in Writ Petitions.	effective hearing in case of non- effective hearing ₹ 1500/- per day subject to a maximum of 5 hearing
3. A	ourt in Writ Petitions.	₹ 3000/- per case
4. Se	ettling pleadings	₹ 3000/- per case
. Mi	iscellaneous Application	₹3000/- per case
. Co	nference	₹ 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)
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Revision of the fee structure applicable to the Panel Counsel of High Courts as well as of CAT Benches of Bombay and Kolkata:-

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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.

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:-

Reference to the High Court under Sales Tax Act and Banking Company Petitions, 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) 3. Company Petitions 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 6. Civil Misc. petitions, forma paupers, transfer petitions and other civil misc. petitions of routine nature	S	il.No.	Item of Work		Revised fee
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	6.	trans	fer petitions and other civil misc.	₹4	50/per petition
7. Consultation /conference fee ₹ 450/- per conference (subject to maximum of 4 conferences in a case)	7.	Cons	ultation /conference fee		1

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

(E)

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

Si.No.	Item of work	Revised fee
1.	Retainer fee for Standing Gov Counsel	rt. ₹6000 per month
2.	Fee for effective hearing	₹ 1800 per day
3.	Fee for non-effective hearing	₹ 600 per day (not more than 5 su hearings into case)
4,	Fee for drafting Writter Statement, Grounds of Appeal etc.	n ₹ 1500 per pleading
5.	Fee for drafting other pleadings of misc. nature	₹ 600 per pleading
6.	Fee per Conference	₹ 900 (subject to maximum of 5 suc conferences in a case / group o identical cases)
7.	Daily fee for out of Headquarters	₹ 2700 per day
	Conveyance charges for local journey outside Headquarters	₹ 900 (lump sum)
	expenses for stay in hotels	₹ 1800 per day
10.	Clerkage	@ 10% of total fee excluding miscellaneous and out of pocket expenses (meximum ₹5250 in a case)
		Full fee in the 1 st case and ₹ 750 in per suit for connected cases (max. 3 cases)
		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

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

SI. No.	Details of work	Proposed Revised fee
	Fee for effective hearing	g
	Senior Counsel	Rs. 2,250/- per appearance
	Junior Counsel	Rs. 1,500/- per appearance
2.	Fee for non-effective hearing	OB.
	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
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	Junior Counsel	Rs. 750/- per pleading
4.	Conference fee	
	Senior Counsel	Rs. 450/- per conference
	Junior Counsel	Rs. 300/- per conference
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		conferences in a case)
5.	Daily fee out of Headquarters	
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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.
- 4. 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

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.
- 3. 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.
- 5. All Central Government Standing Counsel/Central Government Pleaders of Delhi High Court.
- 6. All Asstt. Solicitors General/Central Legal Adviser of various High Courts.
- 7. All Senior Central Government Standing Counsel/Addl. Central Government Standing Counsel of various CAT Benches.
- 8. 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.
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- 18. Ministry of Urban Development, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 19. 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.
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Madhulika Upadhyay)

Ji. Central Govt. Advocate

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