Government of Punjab Department of Home Affairs and Justice (Judicial-1 Branch)

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Memo No.9/4/2022-4jud(1)/ 186 Dated, Chandigarh:24.02.2024

Subject:- Engagement as Deputy Advocate General in the office of Advocate General, Punjab at Legal Cell, New Delhi.

Please refer to subject cited above.

2. You are hereby engaged as Deputy Advocate General in the Office of Advocate General, Punjab at Legal Cell, New Delhi, with immediate effect, for defending the cases for and on behalf of State of Punjab in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

3. The engagement would be on contractual basis for a period of one year.

 The terms and conditions of engagement would be notified separately.

5. You will work under the overall supervision and control of the Advocate General, Punjab and will be bound by the provisions of the Punjab Law Officers (Engagement) Act, 2017.

6. This offer of engagement is purely provisional and subject to verification of your candidature by the O/o Advocate General, Punjab. You Shall be allowed to join as a Law Officer in the O/o Advocate General Punjab only after your candidature has been approved by that office.

Secretary to Govt. of Punjab, Department of Home Affairs and Justice.

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A copy is forwarded to the Advocate General, Punjab, Chandigarh with the following recommendations/conditions:-

1. AG shall not issue any engagement orders in excess of the total number of posts (General + SC) advertised

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- 2. During the scrutiny of applications, certain objections to the candidatures had been penned down by a panel of lawyers from the AG office, deputed to assist the Scrutiny Committee. The Scrutiny Committee had also made its recommendations based on the findings of these lawyers. As mentioned earlier, the Selection Committee has now recommended the names of some lawyers whose candidature had not been cleared by the Scrutiny Committee for the posts to which the recommendations have now been made. Since the earlier objections had been raised by a panel of lawyers from AG office, so the re-recommended candidatures shall again be verified carefully by the AG office at its own level before issuing any engagement order.
- 3. AG shall carefully verify that there is no inconsistency in the recommendations of the Selection Committee dated 23.2.24, that distorts the prescribed ratio of Mazhabi Balmiki and SC (Others) categories, before issuing any engagement order.

Secretary to Govt. of Punjab, Department of Home Affairs and Justice.

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A copy is forwarded to the The Registrar General, Punjab and Haryana High Court, Chandigarh for information and necessary action.

> Secretary to Govt. of Punjab, Department of Home Affairs and Justice.