

No.B.13020/41/2023/CA-DTE(SPY)/282
GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Aizawl, the 13th of November, 2024

As per approval of the Government vide No.A.12012/3/2023-FCS&CA dated 13.11.2024, applications are invited from interested eligible persons who fulfill the conditions listed below for appointment to the post of **Member** in the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commissions on '**part-time**' basis for a term of 4 (four) years or upto the age of 65 (sixty-five) years whichever is earlier as shown below: -

Sl. No.	Name of Consumer Commission	No. of Post	Remuneration
1.	State Commission	1 (one) female post	Part-time members of the District Commissions shall be entitled to sitting allowance of Rs. 4,500/- along with conveyance allowance of Rs. 500/- per day of sitting.

The prescribed application format may be downloaded from the Department's website <https://fcscamizoram.gov.in>. Completed applications alongwith attested copies of certificates from HSLC onwards should be submitted to the Director, Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Department, Treasury Square, Aizawl, on or before **16th of December, 2024**. Alternatively, applications may be sent via email to fcscamizoram@gmail.com. Serving candidates should apply through proper channel.

1. Qualifications required-

(1) A person shall not be qualified for appointment as a member of State Commission unless he is of **not less than forty years of age** and possesses -

(a) An experience of at least ten years as presiding officer of a district court or of any tribunal at equivalent level or combined service as such in the district court and tribunal:

Provided that not more than fifty percent of such members shall be appointed; **or**

(b) A bachelor's degree from a recognised university and is a person of ability, integrity and standing, and has special knowledge and professional experience of not less than ten years in consumer affairs, law, public affairs, administration, economics, commerce, industry, finance, management, engineering, technology, public health or medicine:

(c) At least one member or the President of the State Commission shall be a woman.

2. Disqualification for appointment of member State Commission— A person shall be disqualified for appointment as Member of a State Commission if he—

(a) has been convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for an offence which involves moral turpitude; or

- (b) has been adjudged to be insolvent; or
- (c) is of unsound mind and stands so declared by a competent court; or
- (d) has been removed or dismissed from the service of the State Government or Central Government or a body corporate owned or controlled by such Government; or
- (e) has, in the opinion of the State Government, such financial or other interest as is likely to prejudicially affect his functions as the President or a member.

3. This appointment shall be made under the provisions of the 'Consumer Protection Act, 2019' and the 'Consumer Protection (Qualification for appointment, method of recruitment, procedure of appointment, term of office, resignation and removal of the President and members of the State Commission and District Commission) Rules, 2020' as amended from time to time and read with the 'Mizoram Consumer Protection (Salary, allowances and conditions of service of President and Members of the State Commission and District Commission) Rules, 2021' as amended from time to time.
4. Selection of Member of the State and Commission will be made by the Selection Committee as prescribed in Rule 6 of the Consumer Protection (Qualification for appointment, method of recruitment, procedure of appointment, term of office, resignation and removal of the Presidents and members of the State Commission and District Commission) Rules, 2020 which are made under the provisions of the Consumer Protection Act, 2019.
5. **Oaths of office and secrecy** - Every person appointed to be a Member, before entering upon his office make and subscribe an oath of office and secrecy in Form I and II annexed.
6. Every appointment of a President or member shall be subject to submission of a certificate of physical fitness as indicated in the annexure appended to these rules, duly signed by a civil surgeon or District Medical Officer.
7. The eligibility criteria, tenure and qualification will be according to the provisions laid down in the above said Act and Rules. **Only applications received till the cut-off date, i.e., 16th of December, 2024 and complete in all aspects and with all requisite documents attached shall be considered.** Hard copy of the application and information on the aforementioned Act and Rules can be sought from the Consumer Affairs Branch, 5th Floor, Directorate of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs, Treasury Square, Aizawl during office hours.
8. Relevant original documents may be produced by the applicants at the time of interview.

There will be a **written examination** for the selection of President and Members of the State and District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commissions. This examination will be conducted as per rule 6(9) of the Consumer Protection (Qualification for appointment, method of recruitment, procedure of appointment, term of office, resignation and removal of the President and members of the State Commission and District Commission) Amendment Rules, 2023.

Paper	Topics	Nature of Test	Max. Marks	Duration
Paper-I	(a) General Knowledge and current affairs (b) Knowledge of Constitution of India (c) Knowledge of various Consumers related Laws as indicated in the Schedule	Objective Type	100	2 hours
Paper-II	(a) One Essay on topics chosen from issues on trade and commerce	Descriptive type	100	3 hours

	consumer related issues or Public Affairs. (b) One case study of a consumer case for testing the abilities of analysis and cogent drafting of orders.			
Viva Voce			50	
Total Marks			250	

The qualifying marks in each paper i.e., Paper-I and Paper-II shall be 50 per cent.

SCHEDULE
[See rule 6(9)]

1. The Consumer Protection Act, 2019 (35 of 2019)
2. The Legal Metrology Act, 2009 (1 of 2010)
3. The Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016 (11 of 2016)
4. The Competition Act, 2002 (12 of 2003)
5. The Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 (34 of 2006)
6. The Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940 (23 of 1940)
7. The Sale of Goods Act, 1930 (3 of 1930)
8. The Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016 (16 of 2016)
9. The Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003)
10. The Insurance Act, 1938 (4 of 1938)

Sd/- SAIZIKPUII

Director

Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs,
Mizoram : Aizawl

Memo No.B.13020/41/2023/CA-DTE(SPY)/282 : Aizawl, the 13th of November, 2024

Copy to:-

1. P.S. to Hon'ble Minister, FCS&CA Department for information.
2. P.S. to Secretary, FCS&CA Department for information.
3. All Deputy Commissioners, Mizoram for information.
4. Director, I&PR Department to publish the enclosed Abbreviated Notice in 2 (two) leading daily newspapers (English and Mizo) for two days on **14.11.2024** and **15.11.2024**.
5. Registrar, State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission (State Commission), Tuikhuahtlang, Aizawl for information with a request to upload the Notice in their official website.
6. All Registrars, District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission (District Commission), for information and to disseminate in social media.
7. The Web Manager, Directorate of FCS&CA to upload the Notice on the Department's website.
8. Guard File.


Director

Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs,
Mizoram : Aizawl

Annexure
[See Rule 12*]

FORM I

Form of Oath of Office for the President and Member of the State Commission and District Commission

I, _____, having been appointed as the President/ Member in the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission, _____/ District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission, _____ do solemnly affirm/do swear in the name of God that I will faithfully and conscientiously discharge my duties as the President/Member of the State Commission/District Commission to the best of my ability, knowledge and judgment, without fear or favour, affection or ill-will and that I will uphold the Constitution and the laws of land.

(_____)

FORM II

Form of Oath of Secrecy for the President and Member of the State Commission and District Commission

I, _____, having been appointed as the President/Member of the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission, _____/ District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission, _____ do solemnly affirm/do swear in the name of God that I will not directly or indirectly communicate or reveal to any person or persons any matter which shall be brought under my consideration or shall become known to me as President/Member of the State Commission/District Commission, except, as may be required for the due discharge of my duties as the President/Member.

(_____)

*Mizoram Consumer Protection (Salary, allowances and conditions of service of the President and Members of the State Commission and District Commission) Rules, 2021

ANNEXURE
[See rule 6 (12)**]

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICAL FITNESS

I hereby certify that I have examined Shri/Smt./Ms..... and that I have not discovered that he/she has any disease (communicable or otherwise), constitutional weakness or bodily infirmity, except..... I do not consider this a disqualification for his/her for employment as member in the State/District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission for a period of four years or up to the age of sixty five years, whichever is earlier.

Date: _____

(_____)
Signature of candidate

(_____)
Signature
Designation
(Civil Surgeon/District Medical Officer)

**Consumer Protection (Qualification for appointment, method of recruitment, procedure of appointment, term of office, resignation and removal of the President and members of the State Commission and District Commission) Rules, 2020

ABBREVIATED NOTICE

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Sd/- SAIZIKPUII
Director
Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs,
Mizoram : Aizawl

APPLICATION FORM

Application for the post of Member, State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission in the State of Mizoram:

1. Name:
2. Father's Name:
3. Husband's Name:
(In case of female candidates)
4. Date of birth:
5. Age as on date of application:
6. Permanent address and Home District:
7. Address for correspondence with Pin code:
8. Mobile No:
9. E-Mail:
10. Present Occupation and Annual Income:
11. Academic Qualifications (Class-X onwards):



Passport size
photograph

12. In case of serving candidates

- (i) Date of joining service:
- (ii) Present designation:
- (iii) Scale of pay and Basic pay:
- (iv) Date of superannuation:

13. In case of retired candidates

- (i) Date of joining service:
- (ii) Last post held:
- (iii) Last pay scale:

14. Service to which the applicant belongs/belonged (with cadre, batch and name of cadre controlling authority), if applicable:

15. Relevant Experience (details showing adequate acknowledge or experience in dealing with problems relating to Economics, Law, Commerce, Accountancy, Industry, Public Affairs or Administration) in descending chronological order:

Sl. No.	Position Held	Name and address of the Organisation	Period	Nature of work handled
1				
2				
3				

16. Any other accomplishment(s) the candidate may like to inform:

17. Whether any criminal case has been registered against the applicant? If yes, the details thereof:

18. Whether the applicant has ever been charge-sheeted for any criminal offence or in any departmental proceedings? If yes, the details thereof:

19. Whether the applicant has been convicted by any competent court for any criminal offence? If yes, the details thereof:

20. Does the applicant attract any of the disqualification listed in the vacancy circular?

21. Any other relevant information not covered under Sl. No. 1 to 21 above.

Date: _____

(Signature of applicant)

***Attested copies of certificates from HSLC onwards may be provided.**