

No.7/8/2014 -DRT  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Financial Services

"Jeevan Deep" Building,  
Sansad Marg, New Delhi - 110001  
Dated: 13 May, 2014

To,  
The Registrars General of  
All High Courts in India

Subject: Filling up of the Post of Chairperson in the Debts Recovery Appellate  
Tribunals (DRATs) at Allahabad and Chennai.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 (51 of 93), was enacted to provide for establishment of Tribunals for expeditious adjudication and recovery of debts due to banks and financial institutions. Under Section 8 of the Act, 5 Debts Recovery Appellate Tribunals (DRAT's) have been established at Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai and Allahabad.

2. The prescribed qualifications for appointment to the post of Chairperson of DRAT are as under: -

- A person who is, or has been, or is qualified to be, a Judge of a High Court; or
- A person who has been a member of the Indian Legal Service and has held a post in Grade-I of that Service for at least three years; or
- A person who has held office as the Presiding Officer of a Debts Recovery Tribunal for at least three years.

3. The term of office of Chairperson of DRAT is five years or till the age of 65 years, whichever is earlier.

4. The service conditions of the persons selected for the post of Chairperson are regulated in accordance with DRAT (Salaries, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of Chairperson) Rules, 1993 (copy enclosed).

5. The post of Chairperson in DRAT at Allahabad has fallen vacant on 31.12.2013 and the post of Chairperson in DRAT at Chennai is anticipated to fall vacant on 21.12.2014. It is requested that names of willing and eligible Judicial Officers and Advocates who are eligible for appointment as High Court Judges on the enclosed *pro forma*, may be nominated/ forwarded to this Department, so as to reach this Department **by 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2014**. The vigilance clearance and attested photocopies of the Annual Confidential Reports for the last five years i.e. 2009-10 to 2013-14 in case of judicial officers may also be furnished.

6. The vacancy circular and application pro forma is also available on this Ministry's website - finmin.nic.in (URL- [http://financialservices.gov.in/vacancycirculars\\_index.asp](http://financialservices.gov.in/vacancycirculars_index.asp)).

Yours faithfully,



(Rajiv Sharma)

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Suptd (ADPE)

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Encl: As above

PROFORMA

**APPLICATION FOR SELECTION TO THE POST OF CHAIRPERSON, DEBTS  
RECOVERY APPELLATE TRIBUNALS (DRATs)**

1. Name in Full (in Block Letters) :

2. Date of Birth :

3. Father's/ Husband's name :

4. Present Address:

(i) Office (Address with tel. No.) :

(ii) Residence (Address with Tel. No.:

(iii) Email:

5. Parent department's complete Address:  
(with Telephone No. and Fax No., email)

6. Educational qualifications :

7. (a) Date of entry in the service, if applicable:

(b) Name of service:

8. Details of postings (in last 10 years):

S. No.	Designation	Department/ Office	Organisation	Period	
				From	To

9. (a) Present post held:

(b) Date of appointment in present post, on regular basis:

(c) Present Pay-Scale and Basic pay:

10. Date of Retirement :

11. Whether any Disciplinary action/ charge sheet  
is pending/contemplated:

12. Date of return from previous Deputation, if any:

13. No. of cases disposed of in past 2 years:  
(in case of Judicial Officers only)

14. (a) Date of Enrollment as Advocate :

(b) Years of practice in High Court :

15. How qualified for the post applied for :  
(Please give full details)

16. Whether belong to SC/ ST/ OBC :

17. Preference for place of posting : 1.....

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18. Any other Qualifications/ Experience  
not covered above :

(Name & Signature of Candidate)

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICE OF .....**  
**(Cadre Controlling Authority)**

Certified that the particulars given above are correct as per records available in the registry of the Supreme Court/ High Court/ records of Department/ Office of .....  
(strike off whichever is not applicable).

It is also certified that Shri/Smt. .... is clear from vigilance angle and no disciplinary proceeding are pending or contemplated against the officer. The Annual Confidential Reports for last 5 years i.e. 2009-10 to 2013-14 (Other than High Court Judges/ Advocates) are enclosed.

It is hereby certified further that this Department shall have no objection to the relieving of the said officer, in case selected for the post of Chairperson, Debts Recovery Appellate Tribunal.

(Name & Signature of Officer  
with Official Stamp)

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_