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NOTIFICATION

No.J.11013/1/2011-LJE, the 30th August, 2017. In supercession of this Department's Notification No.J.11013/1/2011-LJE dt.4.12.2014 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 29-A of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 (39 of 1987), the Mizoram State Legal Services Authority is pleased to make the following Regulation to amend the Mizoram State Legal Services Authority Regulation, 2013 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Regulations), namely :-

1. Short title and commencement (1) These regulation may be called the Mizoram State Legal Services Authority (Amendment) Regulations, 2017.
(2) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Mizoram Gazette.
2. Amendment of Schedule For schedule of the Principal Regulations, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

SCHEDULE

[See regulation 17 (1)]

(A) In all cases before the District Courts, the honorarium shall be as follows :

1. *For appearance-*
Rs. 750/- per effective hearing and Rs. 500/- for non-effective hearing subject to a maximum of Rs. 7,500/- (per case).
2. *For drafting-*
 - (i) Drafting of substantive pleading such as Suit, Matrimonial Proceedings such as Divorce, Maintenance, Custody, Restitution etc., Succession, Probate, Memo of Appeal, Revision, Written Statement, Reply, Rejoinder, Replication etc.-Rs.1,200/-

- (ii) Drafting of Miscellaneous applications such as stay, bail, direction, exemption etc.-Rs.400/- per application subject to maximum of Rs.800/- for all applications.

In addition to the above appearance and drafting fees, the following fee will be payable on disposal -

FOR CRIMINAL CASES

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| 1 | In Summons Cases including applications u/s 125 Cr.P.C. and prevention of Domestic Violence Act | Rs.2000/- be paid on the final disposal of each case |
| 2. | Warrant Cases (Contested) | Rs. 5000/- to be paid on the final disposal of each case |
| 3. | For Appeal from the Order of Magistrate before Sessions Judge | Rs. 3500/- on final disposal of each case |
| 4 | Criminal Revision before Court of Sessions
Bail applications:
(i) Before CJM or Magistrate 1st Class | Rs. 1000/- on final disposal of each case

(i) Rs. 500/- On disposal of every bail application subject to a maximum of 3 bail application per accused in a FIR |
| 5 | (ii) Before Sessions Judge | (ii) Rs. 500/- On disposal of every bail application including anticipatory bail application subject to a maximum of 3 bail application per accused in an FIR |

FOR CIVIL CASES

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| 1 | For all Contested Civil Cases | Rs.5000/- be paid on final disposal of each case |
| 2 | For all uncontested cases including Adoption cases and probate matters | Rs.2000/- be paid on final disposal of each case |
| 3 | For Labour matters/WCs/MACT | Rs.3000/- be paid on final disposal of each case |
- (B) In all cases before the High Court, the honorarium shall be as follows:
1. *For appearance-*
Rs. 1,000/- per effective hearing and Rs.750/- for non-effective hearing subject to a maximum of Rs.10,000/- (per case).
 2. *For drafting-*
 - (iii) Drafting of substantive pleading such as Writ Petition, Counter Affidavit, Memo of Appeal, Revision, Reply, Rejoinder, Replication-Rs.1,500/-.
 - (iv) Drafting of Miscellaneous application such as stay, bail, direction, exemption etc. - Rs.500/- per application subject to maximum of Rs.1,000/- for all applications.

In addition to the above appearance and drafting fees, the following fee will be payable on disposal-

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| Civil Matters Appellate Side Matters | | |
| 1 | All cases before an Hon'ble Single Judge
(inclusive of all miscellaneous applications
filed in a case) | Rs.6000/- on final disposal of the case |
| 2 | All cases before a Division Bench
(inclusive of all miscellaneous applications
filed in a case) | Rs.8000/- on final disposal of the case |
| Original Side Matters | | |
| 3 | All Civil Suits (inclusive of all
Miscellaneous application filed therein) | Rs.15000/- payable on final disposal of the case |
| Criminal Matters | | |
| 4 | All cases before an Hon'ble Single Judge
(inclusive of all miscellaneous applications
filed in a case) | Rs.6000/- on final disposal of the case |
| 5 | All cases before an Hon'ble Single Judge
(inclusive of all miscellaneous applications
filed in a case) | Rs.9000/- on final disposal of the case |
| (C) | Fees payable to Retainer Lawyers for Consultation/Advice;
For consultation/advice to legal aid seekers in the Front Office of the Legal Services Authority,
Rs.150/- per case shall be payable to Retainer Lawyers subject to a maximum of Rs.750/- per day. | |

By Orders etc.

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