



Summary No. 4744-2022 Advertisement



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GOVERNMENT OF SINDH
HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Summary No. ⁴⁷⁴⁴ Dated 03 November, 2022

SUMMARY FOR CHIEF MINISTER SINDH

SUBJECT: HIRING OF LAW OFFICERS FOR LEGAL WING OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

It is submitted that a Legal Wing has been established in Health Department in order to defend the huge number of cases, which are pending before the Honourable Courts due to non-submission of written statement timely.

2. In this connection, following eight (08) posts are shifted / re-designated under the said wing along with the concurrence from SGA&CD and Finance Department and the same will be reflected in budget book of 2023-24 (**Annexure-I & II**):

S.#	Cost Center	Grade	Name of Post	Number of posts
1	KQ0593	BPS-19	Senior Law Officer	4
2	KQ0593	BPS-18	Law Officer	4

3. Briefly, it is further submitted that the recruitment rules are being drafted in consultation with Law Department and Advocate General Sindh. Hence, the hiring process for the above mentioned posts through Sindh Public service Commission (SPSC) requires a significant amount of time.

4. Moreover, in view of the exigency of more than 1000 running / pending cases before various courts permission for hiring on contractual basis may be granted, until the finalization of recruitment rules as well as subsequent availability of these officers through SPSC; by constituting following committee to fully functionalize the Legal wing, Health Department:

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| i. Secretary Health | Chairman |
| ii. Representative from SGA&CD of BS-18 | Member |
| iii. Representative from Finance Department of BS-18 | Member |
| iv. Representative from Law Department of BS-18 | Member |
| v. Representative of Advocate General Sindh | Member |

Terms of Reference (ToRs):

- To ascertain eligibility criteria and prepare the draft Advertisement accordingly for hiring of above mentioned posts;
- To scrutinize the applications of the candidates;
- To call upon the shortlisted candidates and conduct their interviews;
- To select the most suitable candidate keeping in view professional and legal requirements of the posts; and
- To make recommendation for appointment of suitable candidates against the posts to the Competent Authority (i.e. Chief Minister Sindh)

5. It is also relevant to mention here that the proposed unit will provide technical support to the Department and help to overcome the pendency of court cases.

6. In view of facts narrated above, it is proposed that:

I. Permission for contractual appointment of eight (08) Law Officers may kindly be granted against the sanctioned vacant posts till regular appointment of the said staff;

and

II. Permission may be accorded to constitute a Selection Committee mentioned at para-4, to be notified by SGA&C Department, GoS, to initiate hiring process.

7. The Honorable Chief Minister, Sindh may kindly like to approve proposal contained at para-6/ above.

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8. MINISTER FOR HEALTH

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10. CHIEF SECRETARY SINDH

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