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Member Secretary
(District & Sessions Judge)



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To,

**The Chairmen,
Permanent Lok Adalats,
Dehradun, Haridwar, Nainital and Udham Singh Nagar,**

No. 1172 /III-C-2017/SLSA,

Dated: 29 November, 2017

Subject: **REGARDING SITTING FEE OF MEMBER, PERMANENT LOK ADALAT.**

Sir,

On the subject noted above, I am directed to inform you that in light of clarification received from National Legal Services Authority vide letter dated 24th November, 2017, it has been made clear that as per Notification dated 22nd June, 2016 (already sent you) issued by the Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India, Member, Permanent Lok Adalat is entitled to a **sitting fee of Rs. 1500/- per sitting**. In addition to this, Member, Permanent Lok Adalat is also entitled to a **conveyance allowance of Rs. 5,000/- per month for the purpose of attending the sittings of Permanent Lok Adalat.**

Further, I am directed to inform you that Rule 7(3) of the Permanent Lok Adalat (Other Terms and Conditions of Appointment of Chairman and Other Persons) Rules, 2003 says that the sitting of the Permanent Lok Adalat, as and when necessary, shall be convened by the Chairman. Therefore, in light of this provision, it suggests that every day presence of the Member, Permanent Lok Adalat is not required and as and when the Chairman, Permanent Lok Adalat requires the necessity of the presence of the Member, the sitting of the Permanent Lok Adalat shall be convened by him.

You are, therefore, informed accordingly and requested to kindly do the needful in light of the aforesaid directions.

Yours sincerely,

(Prashant Joshi)

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Copy to the following for information:-

1. Principal Secretary, Law-cum-L.R., Government of Uttarakhand, Dehradun.
2. District Judge/Chairman, DLSA, Dehradun, Haridwar, Nainital and Udham Singh Nagar.
3. All the concerned Members, Permanent Lok Adalats.

(Prashant Joshi)