

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
DEPARTMENT OF LAW, JUSTICE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS
Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Srinagar

Subject: Appointment of Law Officers in the Srinagar wing of High Court of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh.

Government Order No. 3957- JK (LD) of 2026.
Dated: 28- 03- 2026.

Sanction is hereby accorded to the appointment of following Advocates as Law Officers in the Srinagar Wing of High Court of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh with designation as shown against each:

S. No.	Name of the Law Officer Shri	Designation
1.	Shabaz Sikandar Mir	Additional Advocate General
2.	Tariq Ahmad Lone	Deputy Advocate General
3.	G.N. Sofi	Deputy Advocate General

The aforesaid appointment shall be: -

- i. governed by the terms and conditions as envisaged in Government Order No. 1906-LD(A) of 2015 dated 22-06-2015, Government Order No 2327-LD(A) of 2017 dated 16-06-2017, Government Order No 2328-LD(A) of 2017 dated 16-06-2017 and Government Order No 3378-LD(A) of 2019 dated 16-09-2019 and other orders in this behalf;
- ii. for a period of one year which shall be extended subject to satisfactory performance of the Advocate;
- iii. subject to the production of documents related to eligibility prescribed in Notification SRO 98 of 2016 dated 24-03-2016; and
- iv. subject to orders passed in WP(C) PIL No 6 of 2021, titled Sushil Chandel Vs Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir and others.

Note: In terms of Administrative Council Decision No. 35/4/2021 dated 10-03-2021 read with Government Order No.1678-JK(LD) of 2021 dated 24-03-2021, the Law Officer shall submit the information of cases on daily basis through Director Litigation Kashmir and fortnightly to the Department of Law Justice and P.A. on a devised proforma GC-I and GC-II and shall also furnish weekly/Department

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wise advance list of cases on each Friday or Saturday as the case may be on a devised proforma GC-III.

By Order of the Lieutenant Governor.

Sd/-
(Achal Sethi)

Commissioner Secretary to Government

No: Law-Jud/154/2025-10.

Dated:28-03-2026.

Copy to the: -

1. Learned Advocate General, Jammu and Kashmir, Jammu.
2. Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, J&K, Jammu.
3. Joint Secretary (J&K), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi.
4. Commissioner Secretary to Government, General Administration Department.
5. Registrar General, High Court of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh, Jammu.
6. Director Information, J&K, Jammu.
7. Director, Archives, Archaeology and Museums, J&K, Jammu.
8. Director Finance, Department of Law, Justice & P.A.
9. Director Litigation Kashmir.
10. All Concerned law Officers.
11. Private Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister.
12. Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, J&K for information of Chief Secretary.
13. Administrative Officer, office of Ld. Advocate General, J&K. He is requested to allow the aforesaid Advocates to join only after the production of documents relating to eligibility prescribed in notification SRO 98 of 2016 dated 24-03-2016.
14. Private Secretary to Commissioner Secretary to Government, Department of Law, Justice & P.A for information of Commissioner Secretary.
15. I/C website of the Department of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs.
16. Government Order File.
17. Concerned File.

(Ashish Gupta)

Special Secretary to Government