

ITEM No.2: REVISION OF CRITERIA FOR FITNESS CERTIFICATE

The Committee devised the following revised criteria for grant of Fitness Certificate for enrolment as an Advocate of the Supreme Court:-

1. The applicant who is applying for fitness certificate shall obtain fresh enrollment certificate from Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Bar Council, and the secretary of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Bar Council must be available along with all relevant record of the concerned candidate to verify the authenticity of the certificate and that the applicant has never been found guilty of professional misconduct and that no complaints for professional misconduct are pending against him.
2. The candidate is required to submit five files of his application (one original and four copies) and shall annex the following documents (properly flagged) along with prescribed index duly filled for fitness certificate:
 - a. A certificate issued by the respective President of Peshawar High Court Bar Associations, confirming that he enjoys good personal and professional reputation and that he has paid all his dues.
 - b. A certificate from the concerned District & Sessions Judge of the District where the applicant is enrolled to the effect that the conduct and behavior of the applicant with the Judges of the District Judiciary is professional, decent and the character of the applicant/advocate is sound and up to the mark.
 - c. A list of at least 100 cases (excluding miscellaneous application/bail applications), which he has independently conducted before the High Court. The list must be issued by the Additional registrar Judicial Peshawar High Court or respective Additional Registrar of its Benches.
 - d. Copies of at least 30 detail Judgments of reported/unreported contested cases independently conducted by the applicant/advocate in the High

Court. The copies of the Judgments must be verified by the Computer Branch/AR (Judicial) concerned of Peshawar High Court. (the cases do not include miscellaneous applications/bail applications etc).

- e. An affidavit confirming that he has never been found guilty of any misconduct and that no complaint for professional misconduct is pending against him and that he has never been convicted of any criminal offence.
- f. If the applicant is an ex-government servant, he must provide a certificate issued by competent authority of the concerned department indicating the length of service of the applicant and the reasons for leaving service.
- g. Complete bio-data/CV along with copies of educational certificates/degrees and other achievements.
- h. National Tax Number and Copy of the applicant's last year's Income Tax Return.

The Committee also devised the following:-

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FOR ENROLMENT AS AN ADVOCATE OF THE SUPREME COURT**

S. No	Personal Information	Yes	No	Page No
1.	Name:			
2.	Date of birth:			
3.	Father's/Husband's name:			
4.	Nationality:			
Academic Qualifications				
5.	Complete bio-data/CV.			
6.	Copies of academic certificates i.e. SSC, HSSC, B.A/B.Sc, L.L.B, M.A/M.Sc/L.L.M etc			
Professional Record				
7.	Date of enrolment as an Advocate of Lower Courts (attach proof):			
8.	Date of enrolment as an Advocate of Peshawar High Court with Roll (attach proof):			
9.	Membership of District Bars and Provincial Bar (attach proof):			

10.	Certificate from Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Bar Council.			
11.	A certificate from the concerned District & Sessions Judge. _____	_____	_____	
12.	List of 100 cases independently conducted by the applicant/advocate.			
13.	Copies of at least 30 detailed Judgments of reported/unreported cases.			
14.	An affidavit of the applicant/advocate regarding not guilty of professional conduct or criminal case.			
Service Record				
15.	If the applicant has been remained in the service of Government or of a statutory corporation, if so; he/she shall provide the complete details of his/her service including reason for leaving the service.			
Income Tax				
16.	National Tax Number and copy of last year's income tax returns.			

I _____ S/o (d/o or w/o) _____
do hereby solemnly declare that whatever stated above and document attached hereto are true and correct and nothing has been suppressed.

Name/Address and contact # of the Applicant/Advocate:

Date: _____ Signature: _____