

Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission
Egmore, Chennai – 600 008.

NOTICE

Date:12-02-2020

The Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission is a quasi-judicial authority empowered with powers to determine electricity tariff and adjudicate upon dispute between the power generating companies and the distribution and transmission Licensee in the State of Tamil Nadu.

The Commission intends to create a Panel of Advocates to represent the Commission in the Writ Petition filed against the Commission before the High Court, APTEL and Supreme Court. The qualifications and experience for such Advocate are as follows:-

1	Minimum academic qualification	:	B.L. or L.L.B. from a recognized university
2	Minimum experience	:	10 years of practice before the High Court or Supreme Court, as the case may be. Minimum 5 years of practice before APTEL for APTEL cases.
3	Specialization	:	Preference will be given to Advocates specialized in Electricity related cases
4	Tenure of Panel	:	5 years

In all, the Commission proposes to empanel 10 Advocates for the proceedings before the High Court with four Advocates stationed at Chennai and two Advocates at Madurai and two Advocates each for APTEL and Supreme Court to represent the Commission after taking appropriate instructions. The Advocates shall ensure that there is no conflict of interest and being in the Panel of the Commission would not prejudicially affect the interest of the Commission. The Advocates so appointed shall ensure that they present themselves punctually during the court

hearing concerning the Commission. Despite the standard empanelment aforesaid for the above Fora, the Commission reserves its right to engage any other Counsel / Senior Counsel depending upon specific requirements in a case.

The fees to Advocates will be paid strictly as per the norms evolved by the Commission from time to time. The Commission reserves its right to dispense with the services of an Advocate of Panel at any time upon satisfaction that his / her continuance would prejudicially affect the functioning of the Commission or for any other reason.

Advocates desirous of empanelling with the Commission may submit their resume directly to the Secretary, Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission, 19-A, RukminiLakshmiPathySalai, Egmore, Chennai – 600 008 on or before 27-02-2020. The resume shall also clearly set out the year of practice, association with Senior Advocates, if any, so as to take a considered decision on the merits of the candidates.

**Secretary
Tamil Nadu Electricity
Regulatory Commission**