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NOTIFICATION

The 28th January, 2016

No.08— In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 29A of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 (39 of 1987), the State Authority hereby makes the following regulations further to amend the Odisha State Legal Services Authority Regulations, 1996 namely:—

1. Short title and commencement :— (1) These regulations may be called the Odisha State Legal Services Authority (Amendment) Regulations, 2015.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the *Odisha Gazette*.

2. In the Odisha State Legal Services Authority Regulations, 1996, in Regulation-20,

(a) in sub-regulation (1), after the words “a panel of legal practitioners”, the words “having a minimum of five years active practice experience at the Bar duly certified by the concerned Bar Association” shall be inserted; and

(b) after sub-regulation (1), the following sub-regulation shall be inserted, namely:—

“(I-a) Subject to the approval of the State Authority, the High Court Legal Services Committee shall prepare for a period of two years, a panel of designated Senior Advocates who are willing to represent or prosecute the case of legal aided persons pro-Bono before the High Court”.

By Order of the Odisha
State Legal Service Authority

SASHIKANTA MISHRA

Member-Secretary