

ABBREVIATED NOTICE

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Applications are invited from interested eligible persons who fulfill the conditions listed below for appointment to the post of **Member** in the State and District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commissions (District Commissions) on '**part-time**' basis for a term of 4 (four) years or upto the age of 65 (sixty-five) years as shown below:-

Sl. No.	Name of Commission	Name of Post	No. of Post	Remuneration
1.	State Commission	Member	1 (one) post	Part-time members of the State Commissions shall be entitled to sitting allowance of Rs. 3,500/- along with conveyance allowance of Rs. 500/- per day of sitting.
2.	District Commission, Aizawl District	Member	2(two) posts. One post for Female	Part-time members of the District Commissions shall be entitled to sitting allowance of Rs. 3,500/- along with conveyance allowance of Rs. 500/- per day of sitting. Term of office is for a period of 4 (four) years or upto the age of 65 (sixty-five) years.
3.	District Commission, Champhai District	Member	1 (one) post	
4.	District Commission, Kolasib District	Member	1 (one) post	
5.	District Commission, Lawngtlai District	Member	2(two) posts. One post for Female	
6.	District Commission, Lunglei District	Member	1 (one) Female post	
7.	District Commission, Mamit District	Member	2(two) posts. One post for Female	
8.	District Commission, Serchhip District	Member	2(two) posts. One post for Female Member	
9.	District Commission, Siahla District	Member	1 (one) Female post	

The **prescribed format** of the application may be downloaded from the Department's website <https://fcscamizoram.gov.in> and submitted along with supporting documents to reach the Director, Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Department, Treasury Square, Aizawl on or before **14th of July, 2023**. Online applications may be submitted through email at fcscamizoram@gmail.com. Serving candidates should apply through proper channel.

1. Qualifications required.—

- (1) A person shall not be qualified for appointment as **member of the State Commission** unless he-
- (a) is of not less **than forty-five** years of age;
 - (b) possesses an experience of at least ten years as presiding officer of a district court or of any tribunal at equivalent level or combined service as such in the district Court and tribunal:
Provided that not more than fifty percent of such members shall be appointed;
or
 - (c) possesses a bachelor's degree from a recognised university and is a person of ability, integrity and standing, and has special knowledge and professional experience of not less than ten years in consumer affairs, law, public affairs, administration, economics, commerce, industry, finance, management, engineering, technology, public health or medicine.
 - (d) at least one member or the President of the State Commission shall be a woman.
- (2) A person shall not be qualified for appointment as **member of the District Commission** unless he-
- (a) is of not less than **thirty-five years** of age;
 - (b) possesses a bachelor's degree from a recognised University; and
 - (c) is a person of ability, integrity and standing, and having special knowledge and professional experience of not less than ten years in consumer affairs, law, public affairs, administration, economics, commerce, industry, finance, management, engineering, technology, public health or medicine.
 - (d) at least one member or the President of the District Commission shall be a woman.

2. Disqualification for appointment of President or member of State Commission and District Commission.— A person shall be disqualified for appointment as President of the State Commission or a member of a District Commission if he—

- (a) has been convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for an offence which involves moral turpitude; or
- (b) has been adjudged to be insolvent; or
- (c) is of unsound mind and stands so declared by a competent court; or
- (d) has been removed or dismissed from the service of the State Government or Central Government or a body corporate owned or controlled by such Government; or
- (e) has, in the opinion of the State Government, such financial or other interest as is likely to prejudicially affect his functions as the President or a member

4. Hard copy of application and information on the Consumer Protection Act, 2019 and relevant Rules can be sought from the Consumer Affairs Branch, 5th Floor, Directorate of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs, Treasury Square, Aizawl during office hours.

There will be a written examination on **28th of July, 2023** for the selection of President and Members of the State and District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission. This

examination will be conducted using the Syllabus recommended by the Supreme Court in its Judgement Order dated 03.03.2023 as listed below:

Paper	Topics	Nature of Test	Max. Marks	Duration
Paper-I	(a) General Knowledge and current affairs (b) Knowledge of Constitution of India (c) Knowledge of various Consumers related Laws as indicated in the Schedule	Objective Type	100	2 hours
Paper-II	(a) One Essay on topics chosen from issues on trade and commerce consumer related issues or Public Affairs. (b) One case study of a consumer case for testing the abilities of analysis and cogent drafting of orders.	Descriptive type	100	3 hours
Viva Voce			50	
Total Marks			250	

The qualifying marks in each paper i.e., Paper-I and Paper-II shall be 50 per cent.

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