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No.BCIAWF/Covid-19

Dated: 25.04.2020.

To

**Presidents/Secretaries of all the Registered Bar  
Associations in the State.**

Dear Sir,

It is informed that The Bar Council of India Advocates Welfare Fund Committee for the State of Rajasthan in its Urgent Meeting (telephonically) held on 11.04.2020 has considered the matter regarding transfer of amount of Rs.3.00 Crores (Rupees Three Crores only) from Bar Council of India Advocates Welfare Fund for the State of Rajasthan in the fund to be constituted by the Bar Council of Rajasthan for providing financial assistance to Indigent and Disabled Advocates of the Rajasthan to enable them and their families to subsist and survive during the Crisis of Covide-19."

The Bar Council of India vide letter dated 19.04.2020 has conveyed that a total amount Rs.1.00 Crore may be disbursed by the Honble Co-Chairman Bar Council of India representing the State of Rajasthan in Bar Council of India, Shri Suresh Chandra Shrimali who is also the Chairman of the Bar Council of India Advocates Welfare Fund Committee for the State of Rajasthan from the Bar Council of India Advocates Welfare Fund for the State of Rajasthan, in case he deems fit and proper according to the situation in his State the needy and indigent Advocates in times of such crisis.

Thereafter, an Urgent Meeting of the Bar Council of India Advocates Welfare Fund Committee for the State of Rajasthan was held on 23.04.2020 (telephonically). Shri S.C. Shrimali, Chairman and Shri Jagaml Singh Choudhary, Member and Shri Sanjay Sharma, Member participated in the meeting. In the meeting, the Committee has decided that a sum of Rs.5,000/- (Rs. Five Thousand only) each be given as financial assistance to the needy and Indigent and Disabled Advocates of Rajasthan. The Committee has framed the conditions/guidelines and norms for giving financial assistance to the needy and Indigent and Disabled Advocates during the lockdown due to Covid-19.

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The Committee has also approved the prescribed application form for obtaining the financial assistance.

If any Advocate takes undue advantage of this scheme by false giving information, his/her action would be treated as professional misconduct by the Bar Council of Rajasthan.

Only the Advocates, who are in dire need of assistance, who are unable to meet their day-to-day expenses or food or even medicines, and are practicing in Rajasthan will be given the benefits of this financial assistance.

I am directed to request you to kindly give the wide publicity amongst the Members of your Bar and compliance the conditions/guidelines issued by the Bar Council of India Advocates Welfare Fund Committee for the State of Rajasthan and forward the applications as per norms decided by the Committee. A copy of Conditions/Guidelines, norms, prescribed application form decided by the Committee is/are enclosed herewith for your ready reference.

The application form must reach in the Office of the Bar Council of Rajasthan through e-mail i.e., [secretary@barcouncilofrajasthan.org](mailto:secretary@barcouncilofrajasthan.org) by 03<sup>rd</sup> May, 2020 positively. The application form and other details in this regard is also available on the website of Bar Council of Rajasthan i.e., [www.barcouncilofrajasthan.org](http://www.barcouncilofrajasthan.org).

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

( R.P. Malik )  
Secretary

Encl: As Above.

Copy to : All the Hon'ble Members of Bar Council of Rajasthan.