

**HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY, APPELLATE SIDE, BOMBAY**

**NOTICE NO. A.5504/2022**

Applications are invited for the post of Presiding Officer of the proposed Special Courts for trying cases under section 138 of N.I. Act at Nagpur, Nashik, Thane, Pune and CMM, Mumbai, in view of directions in the Order dated 19<sup>th</sup> May 2022 by the Hon'ble Apex Court in Suo Motu Writ (Crl.) No.2 of 2020 (In Re : Expeditious Trial of cases U/s. 138 of N.I. Act, 1881). The retired Judicial Officers in the State of Maharashtra from the cadre of Civil Judge Senior Division, who have **retired within the past 5 years on Superannuation only** and having no post retirement assignment shall be considered. The retired Judicial Officers who have taken voluntary retirement and those who are compulsorily retired/discharged from service in probation/ review premature retired or dismissed shall not be considered.

The tenure of Presiding Officer of the Special Court is of **one year (01.09.2022 to 31.08.2023)** on contractual basis. The remuneration, other allowances and in-service benefits to the retired Judicial Officers would be paid as fixed honorarium in accordance with their standing prior to retirement. The Judicial Officers who have to preside over the Special Courts will be required to undergo specialised training of four (04) weeks at MJA, Uttan.

The applicant shall send the scanned copy of the application alongwith the duly filled in prescribed proforma (attached herewith) **on or before 2<sup>nd</sup> August, 2022** on E-mail address [rglegal-bhc@nic.in](mailto:rglegal-bhc@nic.in)

**Note :** The applications are invited in anticipation of issuance of Resolution by the Government of Maharashtra for establishment of such Special Courts.

**Date : 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2022**

**Sd/-  
Registrar  
(Legal & Research)**